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The law prescribes the kind of paper and type to be used in the printing the official ballots.

The Supervisors reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

C. PARMENTER, Chief Deputy.
P. T. VEIL, Clerk.
Lima, Ohio, Sept. 18, 1893. 9-18 3t eod

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Herman Wehner, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.
Sept. 15, 1893.
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A TERRIBLE CRIME.

An Entire Family Killed By Supposed Robbers.

BODIES HORRIBLY MANGLED.

An Indiana Farmer, His Wife, Mother and Two Children the Victims of an Assassin—The Awful Deed Done With a Hatchet—Bloodhounds on the Track of the Murderers—It Is Believed Robbery Was the Motive.

WASHINGTON, Ind., Sept. 20.—A horrible murder was committed 10 miles southeast of this city. Denson Wratten, his wife, mother and two children were brutally murdered in cold blood by an unknown assassin.

Denson Wrattan was a farmer in good circumstances, and with his wife, three children and his mother lived on a farm 10 miles southeast of this city.

Yesterday morning a neighbor, James E. Stone, called at the Wratten residence about 7 o'clock and found the door open at the rear of the house and the wife of Mr. Wratten lying dead in a pool of blood near the door.

On entering the house he found Mr. Wratten in bed dead, with a horrible gash in the forehead.

The children were all lying in a big bed in the same room. Great gashes were found in the forehead of two, and the back of the head of the other. Two were dead and one of the children, aged 12, is still living, but unconscious.

The mother of Mr. Wratten had been sleeping in an adjoining room. In this room was a spectacle that made the blood run cold. The old lady was found lying on the floor, her head hacked to pieces, and the right hand entirely severed from the arm, while the left arm was cut nearly off in two or three pieces.

It was the most horrible and revolting massacre imaginable. The instrument used must have been a hatchet, from the size of the wounds inflicted. Not the slightest clew can be obtained as to who the perpetrators of the terrible crime are.

A large posse of citizens was organized, and the country for miles around is being scoured.

Mr. Wratten's mother had drawn a pension for a number of years, and has recently drawn from the bank some money, and it is thought that the murderers were bent on robbery and were caught in the act.

Old Mrs. Wratten had evidently fought a terrible battle for her life and the wife was attempting to escape, as she was found near an open door in an adjoining room to the one where she slept. Bloodhounds were brought here from Seymour and put on the trail.

There is some hope of Ethel, aged 12 years, living, and if she survives she may be able to give some clew to the crime.

Mr. Wratten was in bed sick with a fever at the time of his death. The house wherein this tragedy was enacted is a story and a half log with a frame L, and is about one-half mile from any other residence.

SOVEREIGN GRAND LODGE.

The I. O. O. F. of the World in Session at Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 20.—The first session of the sovereign grand lodge of the world of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows was called to order by the grand sire, Dr. C. P. Campbell of London, Ont. The roll was called by Theodore Ross of Baltimore, the grand secretary, and representatives of every jurisdiction answered to their names.

The secretary's report showed a decided increase in the membership of the order since the last biennial convention.

After the formal proceedings, the sovereign grand lodge adjourned to take part in the parade, which moved over the principal streets at noon. This event was of significance to the order, from the fact that the lodges of the uniformed Patriarchal Circle acted as escort. The Patriarchal Circle was organized in this city by members of the order who afterward withdrew from the organization proper, as a result of dissensions regarding the establishment of a uniformed rank. The streets were crowded. There was a big display of decorations, and the parade was a pronounced success.

The next Sovereign grand lodge meeting will be held at Chattanooga in 1894.

Passenger Train Run Into.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Sept. 20.—A local passenger train was run into by the New York express due here at 7:15 near Fairview on the Lehigh Valley road. Those injured are: E. S. Holch of Allentown, Theodore Cross of Rummerfield, Gomer E. Jones of Stockton, Pa., William Siegfried of Easton, John Sweeney of Whitehaven, John F. Mentz, a newsboy of Bristol, Pa.; Miss Maggie Sweeney of Whitehaven, Alexander Mitchell of Wilkesbarre. None of the injured are seriously hurt. There was no one killed.

FEDERAL ELECTION BILL.

Democrats Determined to Push the Repeal Measure Through Congress.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The caucus of Democratic members of the house was brief and to the point. Representative Holman presided and Representative Alderson acted as secretary. There was a full attendance of the Democrats who had been present during the proceedings in the house and the action taken, it was reported, had the hearty and unanimous concurrence of all who participated. Speaker Crisp offered the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That it is the sense of this caucus that it is the duty of every Democratic member to attend the sessions of the house in order that the public business may be considered and disposed of.

He supported his motion in an earnest speech, pointing out the necessity that existed for Democratic representatives doing their full duty to their country and to their party, and honestly endeavoring to redeem the pledges made to the people who had entrusted them with the duty of legislating in their behalf.

Mr. Enloe of Tennessee moved to amend by adding "and vote" after the words "sessions of the house," which were accepted by the speaker.

Mr. Fithian of Illinois moved to add the following to the speaker's resolution, and the caucus agreed:

"And, that when the house meets it is the sense of this caucus that it remain in session continuously until a quorum is obtained voting in favor of the bills for the repeal of the federal election laws."

There was some discussion as to the expediency of pressing the consideration of the repeal bills, and the overwhelming sentiment of the caucus expressed was favorable to early action. The following resolution, offered by Mr. McMillin of Tennessee, on this point was adopted:

RESOLVED, That it is the sense of this caucus that the house should proceed at the earliest practicable day during this session to the consideration of the bill or bills repealing the laws authorizing deputy marshals and supervisors of elections at the polls.

After adopting the resolutions as a whole, the caucus adjourned, having been in session but little over an hour. Subsequently, in pursuance to the last resolution, Speaker Crisp issued a call for a meeting of the committee on rules to consider the fixing of a date for taking up the repeal bills and determining the length of time that shall be allowed for debate.

Speaking of the probabilities of the length of the continuous session agreed upon, Speaker Crisp said he did not look for anything extraordinary or uncomfortable. "After we get a quorum the Republicans can not detain the house any great length of time. They may keep us until 7 or 8 o'clock, but we'll drive the report through as soon as a quorum appears."

SENATE AND HOUSE.

But Little Done in Either Branch of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—For the third time since the repeal bill has been before the Senate, the senator in charge of it, Mr. Voorhees (Dem., Ind.) made an effort to have the opposition fix some time when debate ought to be closed and the vote taken; and for the third time the proposition met with unfavorable resistence. As on the first occasion, Mr. Dubois (Rep., Ida.) acted as spokesman for the opposition; but he was seconded and sustained by Mr. Teller (Rep., Col.) who stated that he knew of 15 senators who still desired to address the senate, and of whom 13 had not yet opened their mouths on the subject; and he added that until all senators who desired to speak had an opportunity of doing so, no vote be, or would be taken.

Mr. Voorhees, in view of the attitude of the opposition, gave notice that he would ask the senate to have not continuous, but lengthened sessions, and he was informed that his program would not be resisted, but that the friends of the bill as well as its enemies would be expected to be present. After a spirited speech by Mr. (Mills Dem., Tex.) in favor of the bill and by Mr. Stewart (Rep., Nev.) against it the senate at 5:15 adjourned.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—Although Colonel Ike Hill, the Democratic whip, reported 185 Democratic representatives in the city at 10 o'clock, 17 more than a quorum in the house, there were but 173 of them present on the floor at any one time during the day and the majority again found themselves powerless to make any progress with the bill to repeal the federal election laws. Mr. Fitch returned from New York and relieved Mr. Tucker on the floor as the leader of the Democratic hosts. At 2:45 o'clock, after vainly endeavoring to secure a call of the committee and the introduction of the report on the repeal bill, Mr. Fitch moved an adjournment, which was agreed to without dissent.

SWEPT BY FIRE.

An Entire Town in Ruins and Hundreds of People Homeless.

OWINGSVILLE, Ky., Sept. 20.—Many of the inhabitants of the prosperous town of Owingsville are homeless. A fire broke out in the livery stable of Peed & Hazelrig, on Henry street.

The building with all its contents 15 or 20 horses and a large lot of feed of all kinds, was soon consumed.

Next was the Owingsville Opinion office, an entire loss with no insurance. Then the saddle and harness shop of J. W. Hutchison, and the dental office of Dr. W. C. Nesbitt.

The wind was blowing a gale from the southwest and the fire next caught the blacksmith shop of W. W. Pierce, the coalyard of Peed & Hazelrigg, the lumberyard of H. C. Sherman & Company, then 10 or 12 houses on Water street occupied by negroes, including the Farrow hall.

The fire then leaped to the new $10,000 Christian church on Main street, then to L. R. Siesser's dry goods store, J. A. Ramsey's hardware place, Conner & Kimbrough's two vacant storerooms, J. T. Kimbrough's drug store, J. M. Richard's dry goods store, Goodpaster's bank building, R. S. Estill's drug store, and the grocery and saloon of Ed Bailey, the two latter belonging to Dr. C. W. Houaker.

These buildings are all west of the Christian church. The fire then going east, burned the dry goods store of I. Josselson, the millinery of Mrs. Lucy Hampton, the dry goods store of James Gellon and the furniture store of C. H. Hoon, and the end is not yet, as the fire is still raging, and there is no water and no organization to fight it with.

Hundreds of willing hands were compelled to stand idly by and see valuable property go up in smoke. It is impossible to state the loss on what has already burned, but it fully $150,000. There is some insurance, not enough to cover half the loss.

No one has any knowledge of how the fire originated. Those who are least able to bear the loss have no insurance. This is the third great fire that has visited Owingsville in recent years, but this is the most destructive of all.

Five Partly Cremated Bodies Found.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—A small house in the Whitechapel district of this city was burned at an early hour this morning. After the fire was extinguished a search was made of the ruins, and the bodies of a man and four women were found. It is supposed that these people were asleep when the fire broke out and that they were overcome by the smoke before they had a chance to escape.

Going to Work.

WHEELING, Sept. 20.—The Ætna Standard steel and iron works of Martin's Ferry notified their puddlers to return to work at once. From 25 to 30 furnaces will be put on, employing over 200 men who have been idle for several months.

It Is Denied.

PARIS, Sept. 20.—Senor Gunabara, Brazilian delegate, denies that President Peixoto has fled. The headquarters of the army are now at Santa Anna, close to the Itamarati palace.

Base Ball.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 7; Baltimore, 4.

At Chicago—Chicago, 6; Washington, 7.

At Cleveland—Cleveland, 5; Boston, 4.

At St. Louis—St. Louis, 4; Philadelphia, 1.

At Louisville—Louisville, 3; New York, 6.

At Pittsburg—Pittsburg, 12; Brooklyn, 5.

Indications.

Fair weather; slightly cooler, except stationary temperature on Lake Erie; northwest winds.

Warrant For White Cappers.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 20.—Mrs. Andrew Schrader of Waymansville, this county, who some weeks ago was unmercifully whipped at the midnight hour by White Caps, has so far recovered as to be able to come to this city and swear out a warrant for the arrest of John Chafy, John Snyder, Ham Lossman and Henry Mondt, whom she claims to have recognized among the number who whipped her.

Death of Sir Alex Galt.

MONTREAL, Sept. 20.—Sir Alexander Galt, retired statesman, died at 3:30 Tuesday morning. Sir Alexander held different cabinet portfolios before and after the confederation, and was Canada's high commissioner in England for a period.

THE CROP BULLETIN.

Reports Made to the Weather Bureau at Washington.

RAIN VERY BADLY NEEDED.

Extensive Areas Over Which There Has Been No Rainfall During the Past Week—The Rain of Two Weeks Ago Has Had a Beneficial Effect—The Reports From Each Different State.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The weekly crop report of the weather bureau contains the following. Except in the northwestern border of the states, but little rain fell during the week to the west of the Mississippi, and as during the previous week there are extensive areas over which there has been no rain whatever.

In the Ohio valley and Atlantic coast states rains of the preceding week have greatly improved pastures, and have put the ground in good condition for fall plowing, which is progressing rapidly in the states named, fall seeding being about completed in New Jersey and New York. In northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Arkansas and Nebraska but little fall plowing has yet been done owing to the dry and baked condition of the ground, and seeding is delayed in consequence.

Maryland—House tobacco slightly injured by warm weather early in week; pastures and vegetables greatly improved; corn cutting has progressed rapidly.

Virginia—Tobacco and fodder was damaged by continued heavy rains; pastures improved.

North Carolina—Heavy rains injured crops and prevented farm work: tobacco taking second growth, weather since Thursday good; a week of sunshine will greatly improve outlook.

South Carolina—No improvement in crops: cotton is rotting, bolls opening prematurely, packing progressing slowly; corn, on lowlands damaged by freshets, and in uplands by continued rains; turnips dying; pea vines hay and rice poor; rice is sprouting in the stock, potatoes beginning to rot.

Florida—Warmer sunny days, following the heavy rains, benefited crops generally, and especially cotton.

Alabama—Rains first part of the week very injurious; cotton bearing out, causing sprouting in the boles, this continues favorable for all other crops and gardens.

Mississippi—Warm days and cool nights, favorable to cotton, but does not effect last week's rain and continued ravages of worms; picking uninterrupted, corn mostly gathered; ordinary crops, turnips, peas and potatoes good; pastures improved.

Louisiana—Hot dry sunshiny week favorable to cane which has improved, showing but little damage of late storm; harvesting continues, corn and cotton is being gathered rapidly; cotton will be short, and picking generally completed by Nov. 1. Drouth continues where all crops coverage are unfavorable.

Texas—Drouth severe, except over the east cotton is opening and being rapidly picked, that planted late is opening prematurely, no chance for top crop in many parts of state, as the plant is the yield is as weak as generally about one-third of a bale.

Arkansas—Exceedingly hot weather has injured with cotton picking, and together with the drouth has prevented fall plowing and been injurious to all growing crops except cotton, which is too far advanced to be benefited by rain, cotton opening rapidly and picking becoming general; crop will be much short of an average.

Tennessee—Tobacco good in north east, in middle and north it is making new growth, crop will be good if not injured by early frost; rains damaged some cotton; Irish potatoes, turnips and pastures improving.

Kentucky—Badly distributed rains first part of the week of great benefit to late tobacco, pastures and gardens, cutting of corn and fall plowing progressing.

Missouri—Little plowing or seeding done yet; corn practically safe from frost, but maturing too rapidly.

Illinois—Rainfall badly distributed, frost in Jo Daviess and upage counties on the 18th inst.; corn generally safe from frost and is maturing rapidly, much being cut; plowing and seeding progressing in the southern portion, elsewhere retarded; rain badly needed.

Indiana—Excessive rains and high temperature caused pasturage to recover and put the fields in good condition for plowing and wheat seeding, which is progressing rapidly; much corn is in shock; the rest nearly safe from heavy frost.

West Virginia—Weather beneficial to pastures, meadows and sown wheat; corn doing much better; tobacco growing nicely, some cut, cattle improving, sheep in excellent condition.

Ohio—Rains started vegetation and advanced fall plowing, seeding over in many counties and others still retarded by drouth, corn cutting well advanced, buckwheat, turnips and millet improved, early sown wheat coming up.

Oil House Burned.

COLUMBUS, Ind., Sept. 20.—The oil house of the Consolidated Tank Line company of Cincinnati caught fire here and was soon surrounded with flames that could not be controlled. Three terrific explosions occurred before the fire department could reach the scene. All that could be done was to prevent the flames from spreading. The fire was so great that it spread to the Big Four track, but the department saved the company's property and prevented the explosion of the company's large oil tanks some distance away. Loss estimated at $6,000.

Shot His Rival.

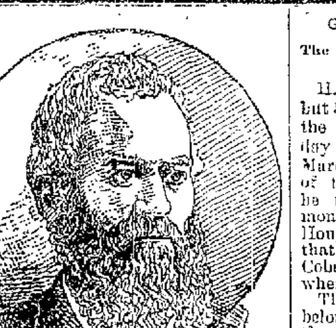
LEXINGTON, Ky., Sept. 20.—Thomas Shay, a prominent farmer, aged 30 years, of Hutchison, eight miles from Lexington, was fatally shot by John Dilloway, a jealous youth of 15 years. Shay was out driving with a young woman to whom Dilloway was devoted. The boy followed, and climbing into the rear of the buggy he listened to the conversation of the couple until he became maddened with jealousy. When the buggy stopped he accosted Shay and shot him before the excited object of his affections. The ball entered Shay's groin, and he will die. Dilloway is under arrest.

Ex-President Polk's Remains.

NASHVILLE, Sept. 20.—With simple but solemn ceremonies the remains of J. Knox Polk, 11th president of the United States, and those of his wife, Mrs. Sarah Childers Polk, were removed from the tomb at Polk Place, the old family residence in this city, to a picturesque spot in the state capitol grounds and there reinterred. The services at Polk Place and Capitol Hill were very impressive, and the occasion was observed with due honor and respect by the state, the city, the church and the public.

Child Horribly Burned.

CATLETTSBURG, Ky., Sept. 20.—Elliott, the 7-year-old son of Captain P. S. Marcum, met with a serious accident. He got several loaded gun shells and fired them off. The result was his face, hands and arms are horribly burned and he is in a precarious condition.



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THEATER BURNED.

Twenty Persons Badly Burned, Several of Whom Will Die.

CANTON, Ills., Sept. 20.—At 9:30 o'clock yesterday evening during the performance of Michael Strogoff by the Baldwin Melville company in the new opera house fire from the fireworks used in the fire scene ignited the scenery. In a few minutes the entire interior was a roaring furnace.

The audience was cautioned to stand still and many remained standing. This delay nearly caused a holocaust. Twenty persons were burned, of whom three or four were fatally injured and five seriously. It is thought that every body got out of the house, but it is not known to be a fact. The loss is $6,000 to the house. The theatrical company lost everything in wardrobes and scenery and $2,000 in cash.

Burglars Caught Dead to Rights.

WALTON, Ky., Sept. 20.—Two colored men and a white man were caught entering the house of Green Fields. The white man acknowledged that he entered the house, and in proof a set ring and other articles were found on him. A razor, an heirloom of the family, was found on one of the others and a set of sleeve buttons. 'Squire Conley held them over to the circuit court. The parties gave their names as Harry Beaumont, white; Harry Lee and Oscar Smith, colored.

Old Man Suicides.

BOWLING GREEN, Ky., Sept. 20.—At Cantburg Robert Phillips, aged 75, was found hanging to a tree in the center of town. The suicide was carefully planned, he using a stepladder to reach the limb. Cause domestic unhappiness.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Short Items From Various Parts of the Country.

Lord Aberdeen has been sworn in as governor general of Canada.

The Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers has decided to fight any further reduction of wages.

Willie Wilde, ex-husband of Mrs. Frank Leslie, has been expelled from the Lotus club at New York for non-payment of dues.

The pope has written a letter to Mgr. Satolli expressing his satisfaction at the union of the American clergy effected by the ablegate's work among them.

Miss Helen Murphy of San Francisco was married to Don Vincente T. Dominguez, Argentine minister to England. The wedding took place in London.

Two men working in the Jefferson iron works at Steubenville, O., have invented a process by which scrap steel can be heated and rolled in any shape. Six hundred tons of scrap steel have already been worked up in this way.

Lane seminary, Cincinnati, which was boycotted by the Presbyterian general assembly because it sustained Professor H. P. Smith is likely to close its doors. When the collegiate season opened last Thursday but four students presented themselves.

At Noblesville, Ind., Mrs. George Haworth was divorced from her husband and in 10 minutes was married to William Lamb.

Harry Chase, an employe of the Union News company, was struck and instantly killed by Ensign Pomeroy, a bartender, in Kesler Brothers' restaurant at Akron, O. Chase picked a quarrel with Pomeroy.

Engineer Knapp, who was shot in the Lake Shore robbery at Kessler, Ind., and is lying at Kendallville, is reported very much worse and in danger of death.

Conductor Phil Thompson, of a Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo passenger train, was accidentally thrown from his train at Pomeroy, O., and instantly killed.

Two engines collided on a switch on the Columbus, Hocking Valley and Toledo railroad at Columbus, O., and John Hed a brakeman, was probably fatally injured.

Otto Hartel, a notorious character, who has already passed two terms in the Ohio penitentiary, was arrested in Canton, O. on a charge of being implicated in the burglaries at Dalton, Wayne county, Saturday night.

Near Anderson, Ind., Charles Shetterley aged 14 years, fell from a walnut tree and was instantly killed. His neck, one arm and one leg were broken.

As Charles and Robert Hollman, residing near Brazil, Ind., were returning home from church their horse became frightened, and ran away tearing the buggy to pieces and throwing the occupants to the ground. Charles was internally injured and can not recover. Robert was horribly lacerated and bruised about the head and face.

THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets for September 19.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—65c. Corn—43½@48¼c. Cattle—Selected butchers, $3 75@4 10, fair to good, $3 00@3 65, common, $1 75@2 75. Hogs—Selected and prime butchers, $6 25@6 80; fair to good packing, $6 00@6 25; common to rough, $5 00@5 90. Sheep—$1 50@3 75. Lambs—$2 00@4 50.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, $4 60@4 85, good, $4 00@4 35; good butchers, $3 60@4 00; rough fat, $3 10@3 30; fair light steers, $2 75@3 15; good fat cows and heifers, $2 75@3 15; bulls and stags, $1 75@2 75; bologna cows, $5 00@12 00, fresh cows and springers, $20 00@40 00. Hogs—Philadelphias, $6 40@6 60, Yorkers, $6 55@6 65; grassers, as to weight, $6 20@6 40; roughs, $5 00@6 00. Sheep—Extra, $3 30@3 75; good, $3 00@3 25; fair, $2 25@3 75; common, 50c@$1 25; yearlings, $2 00@3 75, spring lambs, $3 00@5 25, veal calves, $5 25@6 25; heavy and thin calves, $3 00@4 00.

Chicago.

Hogs—Select heavy and prime butchers, $6 25@6 45; packers, $5 90@6 25. Cattle—Prime to extra natives, $5 25@5 50; good to choice, $4 60@5 00, common to fair, $1 75@3 00. Sheep—$2 00@5 00; lambs—$2 50@5 00.

New York.

Wheat—80¾@74¾c. Corn—49¼@49½c. Oats—Western, 33½@41¼c. Cattle—$1 25@5 00. Sheep—$2 50@5 25. Lambs—$3 50@5 25.

GETTING THE MONEY BACK.

The Michigan Train Robbers Did Not Profit Much by Their Scheme.

HANCOCK, Mich., Sept. 20.—All but $400 of the $70,000 stolen from the Mineral Range railroad on Friday last has been recovered at Marquette. Liberte had taken it out of the trunk and disposed of it as he thought to his satisfaction. The money went through both Hancock and Houghton behind the pacer Champ K. that King was driving and was left at Cobellie's saloon in East Houghton where Liberte boarded.

The trunk that the money was put in belonged to Mrs. Jack Chillew, but as she was in custody it could not be shipped in her name, and it was consigned to Martin Cannon at Marquette. Liberte left on the same train with the trunk. He opened it at Marquette and carried the money to Shea's saloon, where a goodly portion was discovered. There are under arrest now several persons at Marquette besides Liberte, and seven here and three more arrests are expected to follow.

It is impossible to interview the prisoners because the officials do not wish the public to know the state of affairs. It is now claimed that the robbery was planned at Frankie McDonald's disreputable dive at Houghton and that Butler was the originator and engineer of the hold-up. It is said that Butler is wanted at Memphis. All of the prisoners with exception of Butler show signs of weakening. The examination of the prisoners was postponed until Friday.

MADE HAPPY.

The President Sends a Number of Names to the Senate For Confirmation.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 20.—The president sent to the senate the following nominations:

W. B. Hornblower of New York, to be associate justice of the supreme court of the United States, vice Samuel Blatchford, deceased.

James J. Van Alen of Rhode Island, to be ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to Italy.

Assistant Naval Constructor William J. Baxter to be naval constructor in the navy.

Abram Frakes of Kansas to be register of the land office at Wakeeny, Kan.

Allen B. Briscoe to be receiver of public moneys at Wakeeney, Kan., and 26 recess appointments of postmasters.

To Test the Separate Coach Law.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Sept. 20.—Judge John F. Feland, ex-collector of internal revenues, for the Owensboro district, has been selected by the committee to institute suit in the United States court testing the constitutionality of the separate coach law which was passed by the recent legislature and which goes into effect Oct. 3. The proceedings will not be begun until about Oct. 10.

Pennsylvania Democrats.

HARRISBURG, Sept. 20.—The Democratic state convention met here and nominated Frank C. Osbourn of Allegheny county for state treasurer and Samuel Gustine Thomas of Philadelphia for supreme judge.

He Goes to the Penitentiary.

LEBANON, Ky., Sept. 20.—The court of appeals has affirmed the verdict of the jury, rendered at the January term last of the Warren county circuit court, in the case of the Commonwealth against Dr. T. J. Hourrigan, convicted of murder and given 10 years in the penitentiary. As soon as the mandate of the upper court arrives Hourrigan will be taken to Frankfort to begin his term.

Two Young Men Killed by Lightning.

ST. PAUL, Sept. 20.—Frank Miller and William Kessler, two young Germans, were instantly killed by lightning during a heavy storm here yesterday afternoon.

New York's New Diana.

The new Diana for the tower of the Madison Square Garden will be of aluminium. Copper was the material of the original chaste goddess, who pointed with her bow to the wind's eye from that lofty pinnacle awhile ago. The white metal is far better for the purpose on account of its comparatively small weight for the bulk. It is only about as heavy as chalk. The wholesale price of it has been brought down by improved processes to $1.25 a pound. Perchance aluminum will, at some time in the future, be the material universally employed for making statues.

Inasmuch as there is plenty of it to be had, every clay bank being a mine of it, it may reasonably be expected that processes will eventually be discovered for separating it in unlimited quantities at a comparatively cheap rate from the materials with which it is found combined in nature. One important advantage that it has for statuary and monumental purposes is the fact that it does not corrode and is as untarnishable as gold.

The aluminium Diana is being put together by a New York firm. She will be 13 feet high, whereas her predecessor was 18 feet in height. The sculptor, St. Gaudens, and other experts were of the opinion that the original goddess was too big. So they took it down and ordered a new one, while the big copper huntress was shipped to the World's fair at Chicago.—Exchange.

Dakota's Great Wheatfields.

A large party of foreign agricultural commissioners to the World's fair, under the escort of Governor Shortridge of North Dakota, saw some harvesting operations in that great wheat country a few days ago which must have opened their eyes, accustomed as they are to the small acreages of Europe. Driving through a vast wheatfield bounded only by the horizon, they beheld as many as 43 twine binders moving in a steady procession half a mile long and cutting great swaths of grain.

They were told by the owner of this farm that in harvesting time he cut a square mile of grain in a day and employed 80 men to shock it up. At noon the visitors sat down to a prairie chicken dinner on a mammoth scale, which excited their surprise almost as much as the prairie acres on which they gazed.

Afterward they visited the famous Dalrymple farm, covering 54,000 acres of ground, and saw numerous thrashing machines making their inroads into the stacks of wheat which it required 180 twine binders from two to three weeks to cut.—New York Post.

A Just but Lenient Judge.

An unusual incident occurred in the city court at Savannah a few days ago. Judge McDonnell was tardy in putting in an appearance, for which he fined himself $10 and then promptly remitted the fine. His honor went to see his physician to have his arm, which he recently injured, dressed, and the doctor kept him a little longer than he had counted on. When he entered the courtroom, the hands on the clock above the judge's desk pointed to just 10 minutes past 10.

Judge McDonnell took note of the fact and said: "In accordance with the rules of this court every officer who comes in late is subject to a fine. The clerk will therefore, enter a fine of $10 against the court for tardiness, to be paid into the registry of the court. Owing to the fact, however, that this is the first time this thing has happened, and also that the court had to be detained in order to have its arm dressed, the clerk will remit the fine.—Baltimore Sun.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

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English Taught In French Schools.

The French minister of public instruction has issued a circular which will have the effect of greatly stimulating the study of the English language in France. In all the higher schools and training colleges the compulsory studies hitherto have included two modern languages, one of which must be German. This order is now annulled.

Two modern languages will be the rule as before, and one will remain at the option of the pupil, but as to the other he can choose between German and English. Moreover, the time given to the study of German is reduced by two hours, while that devoted to English is increased by the same length of time, and pupils will begin their English lessons one year earlier than hitherto.—London News.

A Phosphorescent Tree.

A large willow tree on the bank of Tan run in Frankford fell over recently and developed into a natural curiosity. The inside of the tree, which has been dead for several years, was found to be a mass of phosphorescent light known as fox fire. As darkness came on and the curious phenomenon was discovered, hundreds of people gathered and as many as could get around the old trunk went to work with hatchets and knives to secure specimens. Soon the ground around was strewn with small chips, which glittered also so many little stars.—Philadelphia Record.

Is the Oriental Dance to Come?

The peritoneal paroxysms of the dancers at the Chicago fair from Cairo and Constantinople, from Teheran and Tangier, from Ispahan and Algeria, have met with a prompt public condemnation. Energetic criticism has forced the police to action and the dancers to a comparative quiescence which saves the susceptibilities of the occidental audience and the risk of the oriental dancers from an attack of peritonitis. Accustomed as the dancers are to their peculiar movement, it has been stimulated by Chicago applause to an insane exaggeration of the flexible and sinuous swaying of the eastern dance, dangerous to the dancers and disgusting to the audiences.

Condemned as the dance has been, however, it has proved so popular and awakened such masculine applause as is certain to cause its appearance on the variety stage. At first it will doubtless be suppressed, as it has been in past appearances, but the American public has a singular habit of accepting in the end with applause what it earlier suppresses with the police court.

The prospects are therefore excellent that the danse du ventre which has first come before the country as a part of the ethnological section at Chicago, over which Professor F. W. Putnam of Harvard university presides, will yet be seen on every stage. This is, we believe, the first instance in which a college professor has superintended so remarkable an addition to our amusements, but we can assure theater managers that this eastern dance is mild and meaningless by the side of some dances and displays which a study of the fascinating study of ethnology will reveal to them and the public.—Philadelphia Press.

A Live Toad In a Hailstone.

A hailstorm visited Pawtucket about 10 o'clock Saturday evening, such as has not visited this vicinity for years, if within the memory of man. One woman picked up a large hailstone and allowed it to melt in her hand. She thought something was inside the little piece of frozen rain, but was surprised to find when all had melted a little live toad or frog in her hand. There is a quite general belief that a great many pebbles came down with the hail.—Providence Journal.

John and Margaret Bellamy of Fort Wayne were united in marriage six years ago by Squire France. Differences arose and a divorce followed. Recently they were again married by the same squire.

The Philadelphia zoo is in danger of losing its fine collection of animals and birds, according to a local newspaper, because of a lack of funds.

A metallic pavement is to be tried in Paris. The prefect of the Seine, with the approval of the municipal authorities, has sanctioned the laying down of an experimental length.

The new carpet for the house of representatives will be of a dark green design, with a crimson figure, conventional in its character, relieved by a cream colored star.

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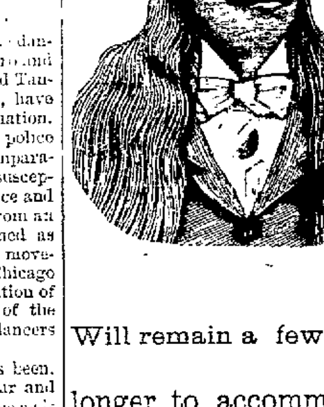

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The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Assignee in trust, for the benefit of the creditors of Arsinson Berry, of Allen county, Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims, according to law, duly authenticated, to the undersigned, for allowance.

Dated this 9th day of Sept. A. D. 1893.
9 9 3w CALVIN HALLADAY, Assignee

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The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Levi Reichelderfer, of Allen county, Ohio. All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims, according to law, duly authenticated, to the undersigned for allowance.

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It is a notorious fact that Ohio Day at the Chicago fair was basely prostituted for partizan purposes by the ambitious Governor of Ohio. The whole management was in the hands of his henchmen, Dan Ryan, Gen. Howe, Mack Taylor and the civil and military Sherman McKinley Republicans, aided by C. W. F. Dick, chairman of the Republican State Committee. Thousands of dollars of the people's money was diverted from the original purpose of making this an Ohio celebration, and used for advertising and booming the presidential aspirations of Major McKinley. His heelers and strikers, all drawing salaries from the people of Ohio, were everywhere chanting the praises of the Tin God, and there was no concealment of their objects. Not only the people's time and money, but precious human life was wilfully risked as an offering at the altar of his ambition. Against the advice, and under protest of many, the 1,500 youthful soldiers of the Third and Fourteenth Regiments, O. N. G., were subjected to hardship, abuse and danger that only the necessities of actual warfare would have justified, for the sole purpose of making the McKinley pageant more impressive. They were, by the plans and at the bidding of McKinley's managers, compelled to march for nine hours in a merciless heat and that in heavy marching order, with all arms, knapsacks, blankets and overcoats. Scores fell by the wayside, prostrated by heat and exposure. It was an ordeal that would have tried veterans.

It was cruel and uncalled for. These young soldiers, composed mostly of clerks and mechanics, were unused, as their Commander-in-Chief Governor McKinley knew, to such exposure and exertion. The hospitals of the White City were filled with the suffering soldiers of our State who fell, not in an honest effort to do honor to their State, but victims of the political ambitions of their Commander-in-Chief, Governor McKinley. It is said that to one of his managers it was suggested that, unless relieved soon, they would lose votes by death among the guards on parade, and the answer came promptly, "We will have enough left for this fall—we are looking ahead to '96."

Every voter in Allen county should vote in favor of the proposition to give each county, and each district in counties where there are more than one member a representative in the State legislature. This is not a party measure. Democrats and Republicans and all others should not fail to give this matter attention. Concerning the proposed constitutional amendment providing for separate legislative districts, which is to be submitted to voters of Ohio at the coming election, the full text of which may be seen in another column, Secretary of State S. M. Taylor, says: "As the constitution is now individual action on the part of members of the legislature from the large counties is almost impossible. Respecting local legislation, a member from Hamilton county or Cuyahoga county must act with the majority of his delegation, whether that majority represents his own sentiments or not, to secure the passage of measures in which he is personally interested. If each member from these counties represented a district instead of the entire county, he would represent the sentiment of the people to whom he is responsible for his election, and would thus be independent of other classes to whom he is under no obligations, and who were not in accord with his immediate constituency. Much of the local legislation that has encumbered the larger counties and cities of the State in the last two decades is the result of trading and compromises made necessary by the manner in which members are elected from these counties. I venture to say that two-thirds at least of the evil legislation which now afflicts these counties would be averted by the adoption of this proposed legislative amendment. With the concentration of population that we see going on in the State, it is only a matter of time when the five large counties will dominate all the rest in the legislative halls."

The fire loss in the United States and Canada for August was $13,222,700, nearly 50 per cent. greater than in the corresponding month of 1891 and 30 per cent. greater than in August, 1892. A recent estimate shows that American cities have at least four times as many fires and four times as much destruction of property as those of Europe. In 1890 the six cities of Berlin, Paris, St. Petersburg, Hamburg, Constantinople and Dublin, with 6,811,000 population, lost $3,193,000 by fire, while New York, with 1,800,000 population, lost $5,061,000. The per capita loss in the European cities named was 17 cents; in New York, $2.80. This is in the ratio of six to to one, but the proportion varies in different cities both here and abroad, and in the same city in different years. The increase of the fire waste in America is alarming, and underwriters are at their wits' ends to decide what to do about it.

The Boston *Herald* does not offer any objections to the hearings which have been granted the beneficiaries of the protective tariff—the manufacturers—but suggests that the representatives of the great consuming class should also be heard. This is not necessary, however, because the consuming class have been heard through the columns of the Democratic press, and the fact that the country thoroughly understands the whole tariff question was demonstrated at the presidential election last November. The representatives of the consuming class are the Democratic members of the House and Senate, and it is not necessary for them to make any arguments in favor of tariff reform. All that will be required of them by the people is to hasten the preparation of the bill which is to take the place of the McKinley law and force it to a vote at the proper time.

GOVERNOR McKINLEY.

The candidature of William McKinley for re-election as Governor of Ohio is not of itself particularly important. It carries with it no element of special interest to people who reside out of Ohio, nor is it particularly thrilling to the people of the Buckeye state itself. Ohio is a Republican State, or at least has been since before the Civil war, and were it not that its people have a lucid interval about once in six years, the outside world would not concern itself about Ohio politics at all.

Governor McKinley, in the course of the long and rather dull speech with which he opened his canvass, quoted from his opponent the statement that "the voice of Ohio will be held, with universal acclaim, the voice of the nation," and said that he accepted the issue thus tendered. As usual, Governor McKinley was unfair. The voice of Ohio in favor of tariff reform, which was what Mr. Neal was speaking of, might well be accepted as the voice of the nation, because Ohio has so long been a steadfast and bigoted advocate of spoilation by means of protective duties. Her pronouncement in favor of an honest tariff for revenue might well be accepted as the voice of the nation. To reverse the case, if the protectionists would come over into Kentucky and get a verdict in favor of the Robber Baron, they might well call it the voice of the nation; but they have never been willing to accept our devotion to the Star eyed Goddess as representing anybody but ourselves. Mr. Neal may well say that Ohio's declaration for tariff reform would be equivalent to the voice of the nation, since, if she reverses herself on that issue, every other protective State might be expected to do likewise. On the other hand, her adherence to the heresy of a tariff for spoilation would mean nothing more than a repetition of the old lesson that "Ephraim is joined to his idols, let him alone." Gov. McKinley should know that we long ago made our arrangements to reform the tariff without the aid of Ohio. Should she, however, decide that she wishes to have a share in the great and glorious work without the hope of fee or reward, her assistance will not be rejected. Her repentance will have come late, but who shall set bounds to saving grace?

Nevertheless, there is something picturesque in the candidature of Gov. McKinley. The serenity with which he bobs up with the most delightful unconsciousness of the fact that he has wrecked his party, is without a parallel in history or fiction. Perhaps the young gentleman mentioned in "Great Expectations" who fought Pip in Mrs. Haversham's back garden, without the faintest suspicion that he was outclassed, in spite of a dozen knockouts, may afford something like a suggestion of Major McKinley's state of mind; but that guileless youngster involved nobody but himself in defeat, while McKinley called down the displeasure of the greatest nation on earth, not only on himself, but on his party also. That he dares again to raise his head high enough to be shot at shows a curious unconsciousness of the mischief he has done, or else a wonderful confidence in the ignorance of the Ohio electorate. Perhaps both these reasons co-operate to make possible the candidature of the putative author of the most foolish and abominable tariff law that ever encumbered the statute book of any enlightened nation.

Gov. McKinley has not the least rudiment of a sense of humor. From the most ambitious hair in his top-knot to the lowest protected nail in his heel he is all business, and his idea of business is to allow every man who contributes to the Republican campaign fund to dictate what tax the people shall pay on the class of goods he produces. With a perfectly smooth face, and, perhaps, with perfect sincerity, he tells the people of Ohio that this tax is paid by the foreigners. The protective tariff, he says in his speeches, "is a tax on the foreign producer, and his welfare is not our first concern." This is in the highest degree humorous, but the Governor evidently does not see it. If the foreign producer could be taxed in this way it would be the obvious duty of every American statesman to make him pay as large a part of our taxes as possible. Yet Governor McKinley, when Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, reported a bill containing as many prohibitory duties as he could put into it, thereby depriving the generous foreigner the satisfaction of paying as large a part of our taxes as he would have liked to do. Taxes ranging from one hundred to five hundred per cent. were well calculated to deter the benevolent outsider from contributing to the support of a Government that did not know when it had enough.

We have said that Gov. McKinley has no sense of humor, because we think he is absolutely in earnest when he calls upon his opponent, Larry Neal, to say what rate of duty he proposes to put upon boracic acid and flaxseed oil and iron ore. The idea of a Governor of Ohio sitting up high and dry in his office at Columbus and imposing a duty on iron ore, which is mined at a cost of $1.55 and sold at $4.50 a ton, does not provoke a smile or the least sense of incongruity from Maj McKinley. As he has been Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, it must be presumed that he knows the tariff is regulated by Congress and not by the Governor of Ohio; but one would hardly think that this idea had ever occurred to him from reading his speech. If Maj McK. should be re-elected, he will no doubt derive immense satisfaction from contemplating the prohibitory duties which he allowed protected manufacturers to write in the bill that bears his name, at the time when William L. Wilson and his associates are reducing them to a revenue basis. It is within the bounds of possibility that the Major may again be Governor of Ohio, but if he is Larry Neal and the 400,000 tariff reformers of Ohio will know the reason why.—*Courier Journal.*

GLIMPSES IN A MINT.

THE PROCESSES OF COINING THE PRECIOUS METALS.

"Making Money Is Just Like Making Cake," Says a Mint Officer—Mixed, Rolled Out and Cut—The Work Women Do In the Philadelphia Money Factory.

It is rather difficult to attempt a description of how money is made. Even encyclopedias, which are supposed to be equal to any and all emergencies, object to that. In a measure they are right. To get the best idea of the multiple and minute processes of minting one must be an eyewitness. It adds charm to the proceedings to stand by the dusty furnaces, arranged in sentinellike rows, to see them open their jaws and to look right down into the fiery cavern, where insatiable tongues of flame are licking up the molten masses of silver and gold.

A day or two ago Officer Brown, standing beside a visitor who had watched with all the fascination of a novice the great iron mouths opening and closing, betrayed himself into a neat little explanation of the process of minting money. Officer Brown has been many years at the mint, so the visitor listened with interest as to one who spoke with authority. Here is the process in a nutshell:

"Making money," said he, with one of those eloquent waves of the hands he keeps by him to use on explanatory occasions such as these, "is just like making cake. You mix the dough; we mix the metal. You roll out the dough into shape; we roll out the metal into bars. You cut the dough into cakes, we cut the metal into coins. Then we stamp them. The metal left over is melted up and used again, just as the cook gathers up the left overs, rolls them again and cuts more cakes."

In other words, an amount of metal, say the equivalent of $90,000 in gold, which chemically is made up of 90 per cent gold and 10 per cent copper, is put into a black lead crucible about the size of a peck measure. It is kept in the furnace 1 hour and 15 minutes. The workman watches his gold as sacredly as the cook her cakes, and when the molten liquid is brought to the proper consistency he takes a three cornered black lead cup, about the size that would fit a monkey's head, and dips up $2,000 worth of the metal at a time, pouring it out again with the marvelous dexterity which only comes from practice, into molds holding $1,000 each. Nothing can be more beautiful than the fiery stream of young and pure gold as it falls into the bed [illegible]. When the liquid solidifies it forms a bar, or, to be technically correct, an ingot about 12 inches long and about half an inch thick.

These ingots are subjected to a process of rolling out which lengthens them without increasing the width. The bars are then ready to be cut. One machine cuts the coins, another stamps them, after the process of milling has been performed. [illegible] somewhat [illegible] signification than to ordinary vernacular. It signifies the rolling [illegible] edge of the coin preparatory to stamping it with the minute denominations which are commonly known as the milling. The latter is part of the process of stamping and is done at the time that the signet is put on the coin.

Speaking of stamping introduces the large corps of women who form a considerable part of the working force of the mint. About 100 of them are employed, and they attend entirely to the adjusting and stamping. It may be said in explanation of the process of the term "adjusting" that every coin before it is shaped is carefully weighed. If it is heavy, the edge is delicately filed until the coin is of lawful weight; if too light the piece is sent to be remelted. This process of weighing and adjusting is an employment to which women, with their delicacy of touch, are well suited. They are also in charge of the stamping. Incidentally it may be said that most presses stamp from 80 to 110 coins every minute. In one short hour $45,000 in $10 gold pieces can be stamped around the edge and on both sides.

There is another part of the work which comes under the charge of the women employed at the mint. They do the sewing. At first thought it seems a trifle incongruous to associate sewing with minting money, but all the bags used by the mint are sewed in the building. The bags are made of white duck and run up by machine, being sewed twice for security. The bagmaking is no small thing when you come to consider the number it takes to pack up the newly coined wealth of the country each year. The 5 cent pieces are packed in $50 bags and the pennies in $10 bags, small silver in $1,000 and the gold in $5,000 pouches. Roughly speaking, last year fully 2,000 bags were made up for gold alone, 16,000 for silver, 5,000 for half dollars, besides many thousands for the smaller coins.—Philadelphia Times.

A Feminine Postscript.

Tommy—There's a girl at our school, mamma, they call Postscript. Can you guess why?

Mamma—No, dear.

Tommy—Because her name is Adeline Moore.—London Tit-Bits.

Couldn't Part With His Dog.

Among the crowd of refugees who endeavored to leave the town of Brunswick, Ga., a few weeks ago on account of the outbreak of yellow fever was a poor old and enfeebled man, with a little dog as his sole companion. When told that the dog could not be admitted to the cars with him, he decided to remain behind, and the next morning he set out with his dog to walk the 40 miles that would take them, he believed, out of the reach of the scourge.

Soldiers on Snowshoes.

The tirailleurs of the Russian army are to be equipped with snowshoes next winter. The Prussian troops on the Russian frontier have used snowshoes with satisfaction for several winters.

In Childhood's Happy Days.

Among the incidents of childhood that stand out in bold relief, as our memory reverts to the days when we were young, none are more prominent than severe sickness. The young mother vividly remembers that it was Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured her of croup, and in turn administers it to her own offspring and always with the best of results. For sale by Melville, the druggist, next to postoffice.

SING ME A SONG.

Sing me a song, some old, loved tune,
To ease my heart of its weight and care;
Sing as you did when the world was June,
With glorious sun or silver moon,
And the perfume of flowers was in the air.

Sing me a song; some little air
That you used to sing in the long ago,
When you were younger, but not more fair,
And we knew naught of the burden of care,
Sing sweet and soft and low.

Sing me a song, then we'll say good night.
We'll say good night with a tear and a sigh,
To our own June time, when the world was bright
With summer sun or soft starlight
We'll say good night and goodby, goodby.
—George F. Brennan in Brooklyn Eagle.

A WILD NIGHT.

An engineers' party of one of the big mines in Sonora, Mexico, were going into Nogales, A. T., to spend a few days and rest from the hard labor they had put in during several weeks. They rode north all day and scarcely exchanged a word between one another, but as they got toward their destination it began to grow dark, and then an argument arose. Some wanted to push on and get into the United States, which was still about 15 miles away, and others wanted to go into camp just where they were and move on again early in the morning.

Both plans met opposition from a few, and then one member of the party said he knew where there was a house at which they could stop. He had never stopped there, but he had seen the place from a distance and had been told that it was a sort of tavern. The plan seemed a good one, and all were willing to go off the road and find comfort for the night.

Then the man who knew of the place began to describe the location exactly. All listened attentively, and when he had finished one member of the party, Fred Brewster by name, said: "Boys, I ain't in it. You fellows go to your hotel, but I'll ride all the way to Nogales by myself before I go there."

"Why, what's the matter?" all asked at once.

"Well, I can't tell you in a few words, but I have been there once, and I will never go there again unless I am carried."

All became excited at once and wanted to know all about it, and at the same time they made up their minds to go to the place. But they did not like to leave Fred on the road and urged him to come along. They said there was no danger with such a crowd, and they were all well armed and good fighters.

"But you can't fight with what you find there," said Fred.

This remark made the others only more curious, but they told Fred to hurry up and give his reasons, as they would have to be moving along in a minute.

"Well, fellows, I'll tell you," said Fred hesitatingly, "but the fact is, the place is haunted, and I won't go there. So goodby."

A change came over the crowd in an instant, and all called loudly to Fred, who had started off on his horse, to come back.

"I guess we won't go to that place tonight," said one member of the party, and all came to the same conclusion in a moment. Fred came back, and it was then agreed to camp where they were. But a strange silence had fallen over the party at the mention of a ghost. The idea of confronting the supernatural will shake the nerve of the boldest plainsman.

As the fire was being built and the work of fixing for the night proceeded with, all who came near to Fred told him how glad they were that he had mentioned the fact about the haunted house. Not that they were afraid of ghosts. Oh, no! But a place of that kind could not be comfortable after it had such a name.

After supper had been disposed of and clouds of tobacco smoke were mingling with the glare from the campfire, the crowd revived a little and asked Fred to tell the story of his experience in the haunted building, but all the time every man was looking over his shoulder at frequent intervals. Still the story had to come, and as Fred had aroused the curiosity of the crowd he knew there was no use to try to get out of it, so he proceeded at once when he had found a comfortable spot on his blanket, where he could look into the fire and see the wreaths of smoke curl upward until they mingled with the stars.

"It's only a couple of months ago," commenced Fred, "since I was at that place, and why I am here now is more than I understand. I didn't say anything about it at the time, because you know a fellow don't like to speak of such things.

"But I was caught out one evening over there on the desert and was about to make my bed on the horse blanket when I saw the house from a distance and thought I might be able to get some sort of lodging there, so I went in that direction. Before I got to the place I struck a good, well marked road and wondered why I had never heard there was a road over that way. But I didn't bother very much, as I was too glad to get to the place, which, as I neared, I saw to be quite a large building. When I got up to it I found that it was a hotel and seemed to be in a prosperous condition.

"The landlord came out and took my horse, telling me to go into the front door, where I was met by his wife, who proved to be a kind, good natured lady and seemed anxious to do everything she could for me. They got me a very good supper, and we sat in the corridor talking about different things until it grew quite late.

"Both were so good natured and pleasant that I hated to leave them, but when I said I wished to retire they led me across a large clean court with a fountain playing in the center and trees and flowers blooming everywhere.

"My rooms were large and furnished in a substantial manner, but somehow they looked very old fashioned, and the whitewash on the walls was smooth, but a sort of gray in color, as if from age. There were no pictures of any kind on the walls, and the only relief to the large blank spaces was the shining brass crucifix. It seemed to be looking at me while I was looking about the rooms and stirring the fire, which was necessary because the place is high and the nights are cold.

"It must have been about midnight when I blew out the candle and got into bed. Oh, how cold the sheets were. It made me feel as if I was getting into a coffin. But it did not make much difference, and I was soon dozing off, but I was too tired to go to sleep at once.

"As I lay there it seemed to me I saw a pink flame come from the candle and rise up toward the ceiling, where it disappeared. Then another came, and they kept coming, but I thought I must be very fatigued and worn out, and that they were the result of my imagination. Then some animal seemed to rush across the fireplace, but when I looked all I saw was a pile of red embers and the corners of the room filled with dark, impenetrable shadows. I listened, but as no sound struck my ear I thought I had better give myself a rest and turned my face to the wall and went to sleep in an instant.

"I may have slept several hours, and it may have been only a few minutes, but I suddenly came to my senses and found the room filled with a peculiar red glare that seemed to come from everywhere at once. Then I heard strange sounds, as if there were people in the rooms. But I couldn't see any, and I might as well say that I began to feel very queer and reached for my revolvers, but found that I had left them in my saddle. But I had my knife, which I took hold of and kept ready for any emergency.

"The silence was unbroken for a long time, and then I heard one of the most unearthly yells that ever struck my ears. It seemed just outside of my door, so I got up and peeped out. But all was quiet, and the fountain was splashing in the moonlight, and the water in the basin was sparkling cheerfully. It did not seem as if there was anything wrong, but I determined to ask the landlord about it and went across the court to find him. It was very cold, and as I called to him my teeth chattered dreadfully. No answer came to my call, so I went back to my room and put on more clothes.

"Then I walked all over the house, but as I did not know where the landlord's room was of course I couldn't find him.

"I had reached the front hall where I entered the building and was debating what to do when that unearthly howl reached my ears again. This time it was just in front of the door, and I opened it as quick as I could so as to see what was there.

"But it was the same as before. I looked over the desert for miles on one side, and on the other the view was broken by the mountains, which came to within a short distance of the house. Seeing nothing, I stepped outside, my knife in my hand, and looked around.

"Before I could realize what was going to happen I saw two enormous panthers come from somewhere. They were standing on their hind legs and growling ferociously.

"A moment later I was paralyzed with fear and then turned to the door so as to get inside and escape the monsters. But horror! The door had blown shut and the latch had caught on the inside, so there was no way to open it. There may have been some string or other arrangement, but I did not know where to find it, so was at the mercy of the animals.

"There was nothing to do but fight, so I took a firmer grip on my knife and waited for the attack, but felt that it was certain death to me. The beasts were the largest I ever saw, and they were beside me in an instant. The largest one made a jump for me, and I dealt it a blow over the heart that I thought settled it, for it rolled over on the ground and laid still. The other was frightened for a few minutes and hesitated about attacking me, but I now had hope, with only one to fight.

"How I finished the animal is more than I can tell, as my memory is very dull on that point. But he made a rush at me which I had to dodge, and I made an attempt to get behind him. I had almost succeeded and could have done my work right there, but my foot slipped, and I fell down, and before I could get to my feet the panther jumped on me. But in some strange way he jumped for my feet, and I got hold of his tail and commenced gashing his hind legs with my knife.

"For several minutes the air seemed in a whirl, and I was all mixed up with my antagonist, but unable to get in a telling cut. We fought and rolled over on the ground until I was covered with wounds, but at last I saw my chance and plunged my knife in the animal's stomach and gave a deep cut. It did the work though, to let me get up and find the animal's heart with the steel.

"I looked at my two victims a moment and then started to awaken the landlord by pounding on the door.

"Suddenly I was grabbed from behind with terrible force, and turning around saw that both of the animals I had left for dead had got up again and were about to make an end of me.

"I had to show this time and certainly wanted for two and to see. Both the panthers got hold of me and started for the mountains, dragging me over the stones and logs as if I was a feather, and the speed they made seemed swift as lightning. I had no idea of where I was going and didn't care, as I had no hope of escape and fully expected to be taken to the panthers' lair and devoured.

"I was right about the place, because I was soon dragged to a sort of gorge that had a cavern at one end. I was taken to this place and laid on the ground, and both my enemies sat and looked at me.

"Somehow I was not hurt very much and was able to move easily. I made an attempt to sit up, but was promptly pushed back by the larger of the panthers. Then both began to howl, and near by I could hear other howls that proved to be those of cubs. The little fellows came out and wanted to make a meal of me right there, but were stopped for some reason by the older ones.

"What was to be done with me was now a most important question to me. The old ones did not seem as if they wanted to devour me nor let the cubs do it. But this the cubs objected to, and commenced on my feet, which were badly bitten before the old ones could stop them. The one of the boldest of the cubs made a rush for my throat, but I kept him away with my arm.

"This seemed to anger the old panthers, for they chased the young ones back to the cave and then took hold of me again and started somewhere.

"They went faster than before, and it was not long, although it seemed ages to me, before I was laid down on the ground. I opened my eyes and found that I was in front of the door of the hotel. I looked again and saw that it was open, and that the panthers were sitting down and watching me closely. But the temptation was too great, and I had to seize the chance of escape, although it looked like certain death.

"I made a sudden jump and got inside the door and closed it after me as the two beasts threw their huge bodies against it.

"I was now safe and commenced calling the landlord and wondered why he had not heard the fight. It was also evident that he had got up and opened the door. But no landlord came, and as it seemed to me I had looked in every part of the house before I gave up finding him and went to my room, where everything was just as I had left it, except that the candle had gone out, but the fire was burning brightly.

"I wanted to wash my wounds, and as there was not much water in the pitcher on the stand I went out to the basin of the fountain. It was most refreshing to let the soft cold water fall over my head, and in a short time I did not feel the least bit as if I had been through such a terrible struggle. I sat down on one of the seats in the court for some time before going to bed, but the moonlight, the flower trees and the splashing fountain were not long in producing a feeling of drowsiness, so that when I laid down I was asleep in an instant.

"When I awoke, it was late in the day, and the sun was streaming in all around me. For several minutes I was dumfounded and wondered how I got into the place where I was.

"It was the same room in which I had laid down to sleep, but it looked as if nobody had entered it for 100 years. I was lying on a pile of rubbish, and everything around me was in the last stages of decay. I got up and went into the court, but the fountain was dry, and nothing could be seen but crumbling walls. There was no sign of vegetation, and the trees and flowers had vanished with the water.

"I was in an awful state of mind and thought at first that I had slept in that room for years and years. But when I made my way to the outer door by climbing over rubbish and fallen timbers and looked out the first thing I saw was the two dead panthers, and a short distance off my horse, with his saddle still on him, tied to a cactus.

"My mind was in a whirl, but I had no desire to skin the animals, so I got on my horse and went to Nogales as fast as I could, where I put in several days doctoring my wounds and getting my mind back into its natural state.

"I did not attempt to solve the mystery, as I felt sure the whole affair was supernatural, and the sooner I can forget it the better I will feel."

The crowd had all been silent during Fred's story, and most of them had allowed their pipes to go out, but when he had finished several commenced to ask questions. But all were glad they had not passed a night in the old place and said they did not blame Fred for not wanting to go there again.—San Francisco Call.

Buddha Avenged Himself.

A curious story is told of a white elephant once shown in a circus at Bangkok. The circus belonged to an Englishman named Wilson. He advertised boldly in the sacred city of Bangkok that he had a real white elephant in his show. His tent was crowded to suffocation, and sure enough the elephant which appeared was snow white. It had been whitewashed, and the clown made great fun out of rubbing himself against it and bringing the white off on his clothes. It is easy to imagine how outraged the Siamese felt, and European residents feared that he would be lynched, but the Siamese loftily remarked that Buddha would avenge himself—that man and elephant were to die, and when the elephant died at sea a few days afterward and the proprietor was carried off by dysentery as soon as he landed at Singapore, they were justified of faith exultingly.—London Tit-Bits.

Why Buried With Head to the West.

All Christian nations, I believe, bury their dead with the head to the west. There is a "why" for this, just as there is for every other known custom. As far as I have been able to ascertain after an exhaustive search of all the leading authorities, our present custom in burial modes originated in primitive times, when the people believed in corporeal resurrection. They had an idea that inasmuch as the star that heralded Christ's coming first appeared in the east, "judgment day" would be ushered in with the Lord's appearance in the same direction, and that when they "arose from the dead" they would be facing him whose mission will be that of sounding the doom of all earthly things.—St. Louis Republic.

An Obscure Litterateur.

It is said that a man could make $12,000 a year in New York by writing fiction, die and remain as utterly unknown as if he had never existed. Arthur Elder Nelson, whose death occurred some days since, was such a man. He did not get even a three line obituary in any newspaper. His dealings were mostly with two huge New York concerns devoted exclusively to the manufacture of dime and half dime novels, and his specialty was the fiction that deals with boy pirates, boy highwaymen, robbers and other equally interesting juveniles. He started six years ago, when he was 25. Educated and refined (he was an Oxford man), he came to this country shortly after attaining his majority. His first effort in the line of blood and thunder narrative was made during his leisure as a drug clerk.

The success of his production encouraged him to persevere, and for the last two years he had worked steadily. His publishers say that his own share of the profits of his pen last year were $12,000, and he lived pretty well up to his income. He spoke four languages, and his wide reading and ripe scholarship enabled him to wander at will in the highways of literature, plundering wherever he saw an opportunity. Thus his works were, as a rule, mere plagiarisms brought down to his reader's level. He never aspired to anything higher. Certainly if he had wished to be a serious writer his income could never have exceeded say $1,500 a year, even had he attained great vogue. As it was, he kept a horse and carriage and enjoyed life.—Journalist.

A Folding Bridge.

There is a peculiar folding bridge at Canal street, Chicago, at a place where the Chicago river is too narrow to permit the use of a swing bridge with a pier in the middle of the stream. It consists of a movable roadway which divides in the center over the middle of the stream. Each half of the bridge is hinged at about one-third of its length from the shore. This permits the parts overhanging the river to drop down in front of the abutments, while the shorter hinged portions rise, forming a gate which intercepts the passage of teams or pedestrians. The two halves of the bridge are supported by heavy bars reaching down from steel towers about 50 feet high.

The whole bridge is 177 feet long, the movable part 100 feet and the actual span over the Chicago river 80 feet. The roadway is 2[illegible] feet wide, and there is a seven foot passage on each side. The whole structure is built of steel and weighs 130 tons. It is operated by a 10 horsepower engine on each side of the river, aided by a system of counter weights, the machinery being below the level of the bridge. It is operated very quickly, and the span has been opened or closed in 15 seconds. The structure cost but about $40,000, including the masonry abutments, and is very strong, a 20 ton steam roller passing over it without serious deflection.—Exchange.

Depended Upon the Decision.

Judge B. F. Dennison was once arguing a case before Judge Roger S. Greene, and in the course of his remarks he kept constantly referring to "Browne on Statute of Frauds," always making two syllables of the word Browne and pronouncing it as if it were Brown-ee.

Judge Greene fidgeted around in his chair, stood the mispronunciation as long as he could and then blurted out:

"Judge, why do you say Brown-ee? You wouldn't call me Green-ee, would you?"

Judge Dennison slowly replied in a rather dry tone of voice:

"That depends on how your honor decides this case."—Germantown Telegraph.

Ivy a Foe to Dampness.

The growth of ivy on the walls of houses renders the walls entirely free from damp, the ivy extracting every particle of moisture from wood, brick or stones for its own sustenance by means of its tiny roots, which work their way into the hardest stone. The overlapping leaves of the ivy conduct water falling upon them from point to point until it reaches the ground without allowing the walls to receive any moisture whatever from the beating rain.—Detroit Free Press.

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A Novel Law Suit.

A novel suit is to be entered in the courts, at its next sitting, in which one party claims the right to have a postmortem examination of a body made, while the other opposes it and defies the first to proceed with the affair. It seems that a few years ago a Mr. Warrington, a well to do cattleman of that county, married a second wife, to whom he presented the jewels, consisting of valuable diamonds belonging to the first Mrs. Warrington, and which she had received as part of her marriage portion from her father, a wealthy merchant in jewelry in San Francisco.

Warrington dying shortly after his second venture into matrimony, Mrs. Warrington kept the diamonds in defiance of the family of her predecessor, who claimed them as the deceased woman's heirs. Suit was brought against her, but she declared that her husband had sold them shortly after they were married and that she had no property to to make good the loss even if she were liable for the act of Mr. Warrington.

This story was not believed by the first Mrs. Warrington's family, who maintained that the woman still had them in her possession, and soon after her death, which took place some weeks ago, the nurse who attended her in her last illness testified that the day she had died she had her bring her a box filled with unset gems, which she deliberately swallowed one by one, passing away a few moments after she had got the last one down. The family now wish to disinter her body and to open it for the recovery of the diamonds, but her own people, not crediting the nurse's story, refuse to allow what they consider a desecration of the dead.—Lincoln (Neb.) Letter.

Peffer's Currency Scheme.

Brief mention has been made of Mr. Peffer's latest bill, but brief mention can hardly do justice to it.

Its title is "A bill to advance learning, the arts and sciences and promote the general welfare by founding a college of scientific learning in the District of Columbia." The bill consists of 19 sections.

The first provides for a department of education under the control of a secretary of education. The second provides for the construction within three years in the District of Columbia of a college of scientific learning, in which shall be taught all the classical and professional studies and arts and sciences necessary to give students a knowledge of the highest courses appertaining to such education and learning.

Another section appropriates $20,000,000 for the cost of constructing the college and providing it with the necessary appliances. The eighth section appropriates $800,000,000 to be carried to the credit of the fund, the interest thereof to be applied monthly. The fourteenth section provides for the purchase of aluminium for coinage of the currency to the amount of the appropriation. The coins are to be 1, 5, 10, 25 and 50 cents, and $1, $5, $10, $20 (and multiples of $20). This currency is to be the legal tender for all debts, public and private.—Washington Dispatch.

Premiums For Speed.

A tidy little sum has been paid out by the government in premiums to the builders of naval vessels during the present year. By exceeding the speed required the Bancroft netted her contractors $15,000, the Detroit, $150,000; the New York, $200,000, and the Machias, $45,000, a total of $410,000. This amount is likely to be increased. The money may be regarded as well invested if it does no more than call attention to the high standard of excellence attainable by American shipbuilders.—Boston Transcript.

Dog Power.

Is there any valid objection to the proposition made by the American consul at the Belgian city of Liege that mastiffs shall be used in this country as beasts of draft and of burden, as they are used in Belgium? If dog power is running to waste here as it formerly ran to waste in Belgium, why should it not be utilized by the Americans, as it now is by the Belgians, to their profit?—New York Sun.

Peace and War.

It is an interesting, perhaps a significant fact that 1,000 people went to see the military parade in the World's fair where one attended the sessions of the international peace congress.—Baltimore American.

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or address H. C. PARKER, Traffic Manager.
C. F. DALY, Gen. Pass. Agt., Indianapolis, Ind.

ERIE LINES.

Chicago & Erie Railroad.

Time Card in effect Aug. 27, '93. From Lima, O.

TRAINS WEST. Depart.

No. 5, Vestibule Limited, daily, for Chicago ... 1:35 p m
No. 3, Pacific Express, daily for Chicago ... 11:47 p m
No. 1, Express, daily, for Chicago ... 9:55 a m
No. 31, Accommodation, daily, except Sunday ... 7:00 a m

TRAINS EAST.

No. 8, Vestibule Limited, daily, for New York and Boston ... 5:57 p m
No. 2, Express daily, for New York ... 4:40 p m
No. 12, Express, daily, for New York ... 2:50 a m
No. 32, Accommodation, daily, except Sunday ... 7:00 a m

Second No. 12 leaves Lima at 2 50 a. m. daily; solid train for Columbus, Ohio, via Marion and the Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo railway (Buckeye Route): Pullman sleepers to Columbus, Kenova, Norfolk and other Virginia points, via Columbus, Hocking Valley & Toledo and the Norfolk & Western Lines.

FRANK C. McCOY, Agent,
W. G. MACEDWARDS, Trav. Pass Agt.,
Huntington, Indiana.

C., H. & D.

NORTH BOUND

	Arrive.	Leave
No. 28	11 a m	2,40 a m
" 2	[illegible]	9 a n
" 6	1 15 p m	1 25 p m
" 16	[illegible]	6 20 p m
" 10	[illegible] p m	
" 20, Sunday only	7:15 a m	7 40 a m
" [illegible], Sunday only	[illegible] p m	

SOUTH BOUND.

	Arrive	Leave
No. 11		6 15 a m
" 1	9 20 a m	9 30 a m
" 5	12 [illegible] a m	12 45 p m
" 9	[illegible] p m	6 15 p m
" 7	[illegible] p m	2 05 a m
" 61, Sunday only		7 05 a m

Train No. 103 leaves Toledo at 5 40 p m; arrives at Findlay at 8 25 p m.

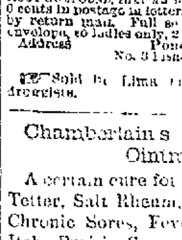
Train No. 116 leaves Findlay at 6 [illegible] p m; arrives at Toledo at 9 [illegible] p m.

The C., H. & D. will sell tickets on Sundays to all stations at one fare for round trip.

Corrected time table effective Dec. 5th, 1892.

W. L. O'BRIEN, Ticket Agent.

Cook's Cotton Root COMPOUND.



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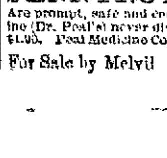

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LETTER.

DR J B MARCHISI Utica N Y Dear Sir—I received your trial bottles of medicine which I used and can truly say that I do not know how to thank you enough as I feel like a new person was troubled with Indigestion Constipation Palpitation, Dizzy Spells, Painful and Irregular Monthlies besides Urine troubles, all of which I have been cured of I can and I will recommend your treatment to all ladies Yours truly,
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C H & D

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	ARRIVE	LEAVE
[illegible]	4 [illegible] m	[illegible] m
[illegible]	8 [illegible] m	9 [illegible] m
[illegible]	1 [illegible] p m	1 [illegible] m
[illegible]	6 [illegible] p m	6 [illegible] p m
[illegible]	9 [illegible] m	[illegible] m

[illegible]

LIMA AND INDIANA

	ARRIVE	LEAVE
No 1	9 20 a m	9 40 a m
No 3	12 30 a m	12 50 p m
No 5	6 00 p m	6 15 p m
No 7	9 00 p m	9 10 a m
No 9 Saturday only	—	7 40 a m
No 11 Stop at Lima	8 40 p m	

No 3 will carry the Chicago Sleeper
No 11 will make connections for Chicago St Louis and points west and south
No 11 will reach Toledo in time for all boats and make connections for Cleveland Buffalo Detroit and points east

L E & W

WESTBOUND

	ARRIVE	LEAVE
No 11 mail	7 25 a m	7 40 a m
No 3 express	1 00 a m	1 15 a m
No 5 accommodation	4 45 p m	
No 139 Minster accommodation Except Sunday, daily		5 00 p m

EAST BOUND

	ARRIVE	LEAVE
No 6 accommodation	7 40 a m	
No 4 mail	1 40 p m	2 00 p m
No 2 express	7 30 p m	7 45 p m
No 138 Minster accom	3 10 p m	

P Ft W & C

EAST BOUND

No 4	7 30 a m
No 36	9 30 a m
No 8	9 30 p m
No 20	4 20 p m
No 29	40 p m
Local freight	6 00 a m

WEST BOUND

No 1	9 45 a m
No 35	4 00 a m
9	3 30 p m
35	4 40 p m
1	11 30 p m
Local freight	25 a m

C & C

WEST BOUND

Vestibule Limited daily for Chicago and the West 11 [illegible] m
Pacific Express daily for Chicago and the west 11 [illegible] p m
Express daily except Sunday for Chicago and the West [illegible] m
[illegible] 00 a m

EAST BOUND

Vestibule limited	8 9 p m
Express	2 50 a m
Accommodation	1 [illegible] m
[illegible]	7 00 a m

ARMORSVILLE NEWS

John Scoles and Ida [illegible] Wednesday, was celebrated by a reunion and surprise at his house in the evening

Mr Akerman has torn down the large barn on the Laru farm, and built a fine new one farther back from the road

The Liberty Chapel Band of Jackson township discoursed excellent music Saturday, at the Prohibition picnic

J R Hamilton and Irene Owens commenced their schools in Beaver Dam and J J Owens commenced teaching in the Adgate school, south of Lima, Monday

In journeying recently with a traveling man friend the conversation took such shape that he took a bottle from his grip of Piso's Cure for Consumption, saying I never travel without it I am easily affected by the change of water Chicago water especially always troubles me but a dose or two of Piso's Cure for Consumption will cure the trouble" He had it right and all the thousands who travel and visit Chicago this summer are "wise like the drummer" and have Piso's Cure for Consumption with them they will find it a very useful article 25 cents bottles of Pullman & Stout Lima

Military Tactics

A Confederate guard in South Carolina during the war was questioned as to his knowledge of his duties

"You know your duty here do you sentinel

Yes sir

Well now suppose they should come on you with shells and musketry what would you do?

Form a line, sir

"What One man form a line?

"Yes, sir for the benefit of the enemy"

A Good Thing to Keep at Hand

[illegible]

Some years ago we were very much subject to several spells of cholera morbus and now when we feel any of the symptoms that usually precede that ailment, such as sickness at the stomach diarrhoea etc, we become scary We have found Chamberlain's Colic Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the very thing to straighten out one in such cases, and always keep it about We are not writing this for a pay testimonial but to let our readers know what is a good thing, to keep handy in the house For sale by Melville the druggist next door to post office

Battle

Courier—There is the sound of heavy firing from the direction of the Amazons, Your Majesty"

King of Dahomey—Proceed to the spot at once and see if it is the enemy or only a mouse —*Judge*

Free Samples of Dr Miles Restorative Nervine at Melville's drug store cures headache, nervousness, sleeplessness neuralgia, fits, nervous debility, sexual weakness poor memory, etc A new and remarkable discovery Or address the Dr Miles' Medical Co Elkhart Ind

HARVEST EXCURSIONS

Via

L E & W R R

September Twelfth—October Tenth

On the above dates the L E & W R R will sell round trip excursion tickets to principal points in the West, Northwest and Southwest, at greatly reduced rates The L E & W R R is the shortest and best line to Kansas City and all points West Maps of "Cherokee Strip," which will soon be open for settlers given away The lowest rates are made via the L E & W R R

J C BURCH,
Ticket Agent

Against Gunn

Default judgment was entered yesterday in the United States Circuit Court against E L Gunn, late of Lima present whereabouts unknown, in favor of the state treasurer of Connecticut Mr Sanger, for $7 273 An order was also granted to sell the securities attached and bring the money into court —*Toledo Blade*

How a Logbook Is Kept

How many lumbermen know how a log book is written up? It seems just as complicated as double entry bookkeeping when one does not know but after a little careful attention and study it is easy to keep a logbook as to eat hot gingerbread There is a list of letters arranged and they look like so much Greek to the uneducated

The letter b for instance, stands for bluesky whether there be clear or hazy atmosphere c means cloudy or detached opening clouds d denotes drizzling rain a small fog capital F, thick fog g, gloomy, dark weather h hail l, lightning and m misty or hazy so as to interfere with the view

The letter o represents overcast or when the whole sky is covered with one impenetrable cloud Passing showers are noted by the letter p and q indicates the weather to be equally Continuous rain is indicated by an r snow by an s and thunder by a t Any ugly threatening appearance in the weather calls for the letter u and visibility or distant objects whether the sky be cloudy or not is represented by the letter v A small w is wet dew A full point or dot under any letter denotes an extraordinary degree As an example of how the letters are used take q p d l t This reads very hard squalls and showers of drizzle accompanied by lightning with very heavy thunder Numerals denote the force of the wind A cipher indicates calm 1 light air 2 light breeze 3 gentle breeze 4 moderate breeze 5 fresh breeze 6 strong breeze 7 moderate gale 8 fresh gale 9 strong gale 10 whole gale 11 storm 12 hurricane This system of abbreviations is generally adhered to on all merchant vessels —*Cleveland Marine Review*

Try It

For a lame back or for a pain in the side or chest, try saturating a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and binding it onto the affected parts The treatment will cure any ordinary case in one or two days Pain Balm also cures rheumatism 50 cent bottles for sale by Melville the druggist, next to post office

Cheap Rates to Chicago and Return Over Pennsylvania Lines from Lima Account of World's Fair

Regular rate for round trip tickets $11 00 Special rate for round trip tickets limited to November 5th $9 00 Special rate for round trip tickets limited to ten days from date of sale upon advertised dates for daylight coach excursions, $6 00

For particulars please call upon or address nearest agent of Pennsylvania lines or B H OLIVER Ticket Agent, Lima O

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Saving Labor

Mother— Children have you said your prayers

Willie—"Yes mamma

You were quick about it

I prayed one-half and Daisy the other —*Harper's*

It has the genuine ring Edman & Stout leading druggists of Lima O write Apr 1st 189 We can truthfully and honestly say that Dr Wheeler Nerve Vitalizer is the only remedy we ever sold that we never had a kick from We only have about a dozen of the 6 doz we sent us in January and hardly a day passes but that several people come in and call for it It is the best preparation for Nervous Troubles we ever handled Send us dozen quick Sold in Lima by Edman & Stout

Chicago Excursion

On Sept 24th the Chicago and Erie railway will sell tickets from Lima to Chicago and return at rate of one fare for the round trip Tickets good going on all regular trains on Sept 21 with return limit of ten days

J H McCOY, Agent

Longest Track Laying Record This Year

The longest stretch of track laying done thus far this year has just been completed by the Minneapolis St Paul and Sault Ste Marie company in the extension of its line from Cathay N D to Sterling, on the international boundary, a distance of 182 miles It crossed since last spring At the boundary line connection is made with a branch of the Canadian Pacific now building from a point west of Regina about 100 miles long when will be completed in September thus making the Soo line a important part of a new route from St Paul and Minneapolis to the Pacific coast and inaugurating a competing line which may greatly disturb existing conditions No work of railway building in 1893 is likely to be more far reaching in its effects than that which virtually extends the Canadian Pacific system to the Mississippi river —*Pall Mall Gazette*

Indian Simplicity

An amusing story comes from the Wabigoon Lake Indian reserve Canada It seems that white men regardless of treaty stipulations have been poaching upon the preserves of the Indians Tired men resented this but were at a loss what to do about the matter as the white man paid no heed to them objections

After much debate among themselves they concluded to carry their case to the highest authority The chief went to Larchy station therefore and sent the following cable message

To Prince of Wales London

White men cutting timber on Lake Wabigoon Would you kindly come and settle matter This message was duly delivered

Kaministiquia (Ont) Big Island

We may smile at the Indians simplicity but his confidence in his white brother certainly deserves some consideration —*Youth's Companion*

Recollections of a Great Man's Umbrella

Tom Reed visited Wall street yesterday and before he got out he was the innocent cause of a great deal of pleasantry He wore a gray suit a straw hat and a flaring red cravat In his hand he carried a big umbrella In front of the Wilkes building he ran across Mr Edwin Ernst in who came in a hurried second to Mr Gallon in the last mayoralty contest and the two men stopped on the narrow sidewalk to converse Mr Reed became very much interested in his discourse on the silver question and waved his big umbrella in all directions The workers dodged and used bad words—*Exchange*

The Lima Meat Market

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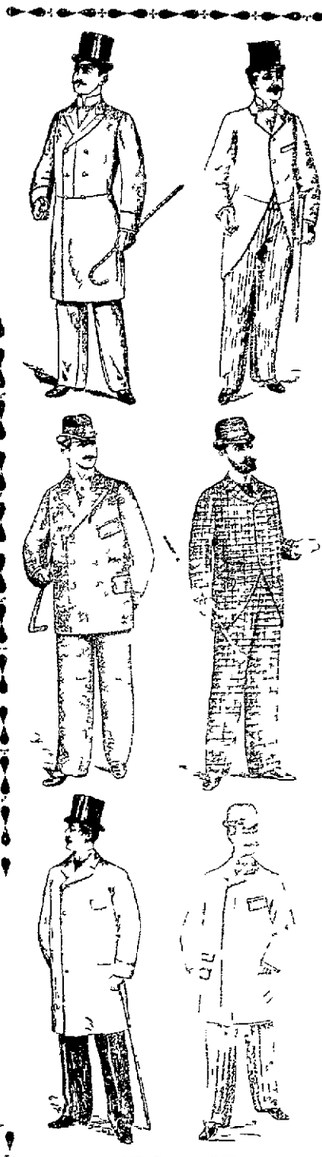

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The Dance In Venice

From part I fail to see where the present style of kicking, or the display of the leg dreams or the very decided bobbed dancer have any distinguishing merits as movements [illegible] Oriental Turkish dancers compare with their best [illegible] with those [illegible] Paris and the American [illegible] France and Italy have brought all the body into action wholly [illegible] sometimes attained

The most important influence [illegible] all dominating motive is [illegible] nastics and absolutely impossible to women who have ever worn corsets Such development only [illegible] dominating motive is to be exhibited by the [illegible] girls in Chicago now will [illegible] especially American women [illegible] the salvation of the race in this new [illegible] be many subsidiary and [illegible] branches Other [illegible] etics the dancer of the future [illegible] whatever It has nothing [illegible] be with the numerous men [illegible] and the professional [illegible] Each [illegible] notes more pretty [illegible] appreciate the truthfulness of [illegible] Vaudeville men and women [illegible] up a howl against [illegible] would do well to look around [illegible] American theaters and dance halls and become like fools for [illegible] fancy I am quite sick of [illegible] not by —*Kate Field*

Cremation By Electricity

As fine a display of fireworks as could be desired might have been witnessed after midnight the other morning in the mountains in Farm Units covering the northern portion of Sullivan county N Y Frost comes early in the mountains and three years out of five damages more or less the corn and buckwheat

A Scotch farmer on Hadley hill suggested the use of fire torches in time of frost and explained that Such a man as agricultural students in the district [illegible] South Dakota Peat is not found in the locality of Hadley hill but [illegible] plentiful some miles distant and [illegible] and provided them [illegible] would [illegible]

At 8 o'clock the other evening the thermometer fell to 5 degrees and the cabbages [illegible] At midnight they set them up 50 to the acre in the bed wheat fields and by 1 a m had them blazing and smoking Every man who tried the plan saved his crop On other farms where nothing was done the probable yield is reduced at least two thirds The frost touching [illegible] in all a half cent each —*New York Sun*

Swiss Waiters Drop the Dress Coat

The dress coat of the kellner is shortly to disappear from the leading Swiss hotels so that it will no longer be possible to confound the waiters with the guests At a recent meeting of the Union of Hotel Keepers the question was solemnly debated whether it was [illegible] impossible to clothe the waiter in a more rational dress than the hitherto [illegible] tory swallowtail The proposal for such a revolution has already been carried in Germany A few months ago the Deutsche Gastwirths Verband offered a prize for the best sample of a convenient dress for the waiter The [illegible] accepted was a tailless jacket of [illegible] dark blue cloth after the French [illegible] stewards uniform on board ships [illegible] has met with a wide approval in the profession and it is already adopted by the kellners in many of the larger [illegible]

Income From German Railway Stations

It is the custom in Germany not to allow persons on the platforms of railroad stations to save the annual travelers except on payment of a small fee which for large cities constitutes quite an income Thus during the eight months from January to August 1892 the Friedrich Strasse station in Berlin took 176 marks the Alexander Platz station 779 marks the Silesian station 1 [illegible] marks and the Potsdam station 8 [illegible] marks —*American Register*

Duelling In Russia

A St Petersburg correspondent says Duelling in Russia has become so common that the government has been compelled to [illegible] severe code of punishment Killing in a duel must still cost six years in prison severe wounding three years duel without injury six months provoking a duel six weeks to three months

The new programme of public instruction adopted in France devotes more time to the study of English and less to the study of German

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Fingo—On the contrary I find it a great help When my wife makes a failure of the breakfast I devour the paper *Puck*

Cheap Rates to Chicago

World's Fair excursions via Pennsylvania Lines Sept 21st On account of the G O P Columbian Demonstration at the World's Fair Sept 20th and Christian Endeavor Day Sept 25th, special low rate excursion tickets to Chicago will be sold from ticket stations on the Pennsylvania Lines Saturday Sept 23d The low rate excursion tickets will be good in coaches of all regular trains of that date and will be good returning until Oct 4th, inclusive For details see hand bills or apply to nearest Pennsylvania Lines Ticket Agent B H OLIVER, Ticket Agent Lima O

SHERIFF'S SALE

The First National Bank of Lima Plaintiff vs Allen Common Pleas Kate A Peters et al Defendants Case No 7813

By virtue of an order of sale issued from the Courts of Common Pleas of Allen county O and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima Allen county Ohio on

SATURDAY OCTOBER A D 1893

Between the hours of 10 o'clock and 4 o'clock p m the following described lands and tenements situate in Allen county State of Ohio and bounded and described as follows to wit

The undivided one half [1/2] of the following tracts

The west half of the northeast quarter of section five [5]

The east half of the northwest quarter of section five [5]

All except and excepting from the last described tract sixty six [66] acres off of the west side thereof in the township four [4] south range seven [7] east Allen county Ohio

The northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section [illegible] township four [4] south range seven [7] east Allen county Ohio

Said land and tenements appraised at the sum of $4,800 00

Terms of sale—Cash

LAWRENCE O'NEILL
Sheriff Allen county Ohio

Lima Ohio August 18th 1893

Notice to creditors and all persons having claims against the estate of Patrick J Cunningham deceased will present the same to the undersigned for allowance

LAWRENCE O'NEILL
Sheriff Allen county Ohio

Lima Ohio August 18th 1893

Mother's Friend Clothing and Furnishing Emporium

SHERIFF'S SALE.

A O Graham et al Plaintiffs vs Allen Common Pleas R V Roberts et al Defendants Case No 6[illegible]

By virtue of a venditioni exponas issued from the Court of Common Pleas of Allen county Ohio and to me directed I will offer for sale on the premises hereinafter described on North Street and North Main Street in Lima Allen County Ohio on

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 28th A D 1893

at 10 o'clock a m the following described goods and chattels to wit

[illegible] feet 4 inch lumber
[illegible] feet 1½ inch lumber
[illegible] feet 2 inch lumber
[illegible] feet 3 inch lumber
[illegible] feet 1 inch lumber
[illegible] cut nail lumber
[illegible] feet poplar siding
[illegible] feet of walnut and cherry lumber
[illegible] inches siding
One [illegible] flooring and moulding
Also the undivided one half interest in the following viz One [illegible] iron safe and one [illegible] heating stove

Terms of sale—Cash

LAWRENCE O'NEILL
Sheriff Allen county Ohio

Lima Ohio September 11 1893

Isaiah Villars plaintiff's attorney

Notice of Appointment.

Assignment of Patrick J Cunningham

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Patrick J Cunningham of Allen county, Ohio All persons indebted to said assignor will make immediate payment and creditors will present their claims, according to law duly authenticated to the undersigned for allowance

LAWRENCE O'NEILL, Assignee

Dated this 11th day of Sept A D 1893

A RESOLUTION

To Construct Sidewalks on North Pine Street

Be it resolved by the Council of the city of Lima Ohio that a sidewalk shall be constructed along in front of and abutting upon the property of the Pittsburg Ft Wayne and Chicago Railway Company, in the same terms the intersection with Pine street also the east end of lot number 49 also lots numbers 48 and 47 to the same to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer and in further accordance with the general sidewalk ordinance of the city of Lima Ohio And the Mayor is instructed to cause notice to be served upon the owner of each parcel of land abutting upon said sidewalk of the passage of this resolution

Adopted September 18th 1893

D E JONES
President of Council

Louis Hart City Clerk pro tem

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A RESOLUTION

To Construct Sidewalks on Pierce Street, from Spring Street to the Line of the Pennsylvania Railway

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima Ohio that a sidewalk shall be constructed upon Pierce Street, between Spring street and the lines of the Pennsylvania Railway along and in front of the following lots viz Lot numbers 350 and 351 and 428 also part of outlot number [illegible] the same to be constructed in accordance with the terms and provisions of the general sidewalk ordinance governing the construction of sidewalks in the city of Lima Ohio, and in further accordance with any special ordinance that may apply thereto or with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer And the Mayor is instructed to serve notice of the passage and adoption of this resolution upon the owner or owners of each parcel of land abounding upon said street with in the proposed line of said sidewalk as the same is set forth in this resolution

Adopted this 11th day of September A D 1893

D E JONES
President of Council

Wm ROBERTS City Clerk pro tem

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A RESOLUTION

To Construct Sidewalks on Washington Street

Be it resolved by the Council of the city of Lima Ohio that a sidewalk shall be constructed upon Washington street along and in front of lots 531 and 532 adjoining and abutting on said street the same to be constructed in accordance with the terms and provisions of the general sidewalk ordinance governing the construction of sidewalks in the city of Lima, Ohio, and in accordance with any special ordinance that may apply thereto or with the plans and specifications therefor on file in the office of the City Civil Engineer

And the Mayor is instructed to serve notice of the passage and adoption of this resolution upon the owner or owners of each parcel of land abounding upon said street as above designated

Adopted this 11th day of September A D 1893

Wm ROBERTS
City Clerk pro tem

D E JONES
President of Council

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Notice of Attachment.

Rosa Kistler Plaintiff vs Before A S Graham J P Ottawa Township Allen county Ohio

William Bunkley, Defendant

On the 2nd day of August A D 1893 said Justice issued an order of attachment in the above action for the sum of $25 00

ROSA KISTLER

September 10 18

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Our stock is now complete with all the latest styles, and this season ladies will find it to their advantage to purchase early.

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We are now showing special values in all the leading kinds of Fur, and it is a well known fact that early purchasers of these goods get the best value, so do not delay.

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.....Leading Dry Goods Store.

Grand Spectacular Reproduction

OF GEORGE R SIMMS' CELEBRATED MELODRAMA AT

OPERA HOUSE,

Wednesday, Sept. 20,

The Lights O'London.

A wealth of entirely new and realistic scenery, effects and costumes carried to a special railroad car

MR. FRAZER COULTER,

MISS GRACE THORNE,

And a Powerful Company

Seats on Sale at Melville's

CHILDREN'S DAY

—AT THE—

ALLEN COUNTY FAIR,

Wednesday, Sept. 27th.

All children under 12 years admitted free.

Bring the children and let them enjoy themselves at the County Fair.

The Lima Times-Democrat.

THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT PUB CO

COUNTING ROOM, 221 NORTH MAIN STREET

TELEPHONE CALL, No. 84

TALES OF THE TOWN

The Eastern market closed at 6dc

Delivery Clerk Frank Willower, of the Postoffice, is sick.

The Buckeye Pipe Line runs for Sept. 20th were 2,533 29

There were fifteen applicants before the Board of Pension Examiners this afternoon

John Devine, of west Vine street, who has been very ill with malarial fever, is getting better

All passenger trains on the P, F W & C were late last night and to-day, on account of heavy World's Fair travel

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Main Street Presbyterian church are making arrangements for a bazaar, to be held about December 1st

Tomorrow being St. Matthew's Day there will be a celebration of the holy communion at Christ church at 9 30 a m Rev C E Crawford, Rector.

The Trinity Epworth League will hold a social evening in their parlors tonight. A paper on the World's Fair and good music. Everybody interested invited.

Mrs. Anna Crowder, wife of of J. L. Crowder, of 223 North Cemetery street, died at six o'clock last night, the trouble being child birth The funeral services will be held from the A M. E. church at three o'clock to-morrow afternoon

Fall Opening

of

Millinery and Cloaks

on

Thursday and Friday, Sept 28 and 29

"Fair Week"

THOMSON & RICHARDS,

North Main street 88 1t

The County Fair

Tuesday of next week the County Fair opens, and every man, woman and child in the county is interested in its success A big booming fair booms the county Let everybody turn out and make this coming fair the best ever held in Ohio

Our

Columbian Unlaundried Shirt.

It is a regular 75c shirt and we have them on sale at 50c each, making them the very best 50c shirt you ever saw, and when you do see them you can't help but buy two or three of them

G. E. BLUEM

63 2ta87 4t 57 Public Sq

The Great French Palmist

Prof. Harris, the French Palmist, who for the past two weeks has been telling the fortunes of our people, has found his business so active that he has concluded to remain for several days longer at 216 West North street. During his stay here Prof. Harris has had over five hundred visitors to whom he told the past, present and future, and the demands upon his time increase daily 1t

For Periodical Tickets address, Advertising Journal Co. 87 4t

FIRE BUGS.

Another Blaze Started by Them Last Night

Prompt Discovery Prevents a Conflagration in the West Part of Town

The fire bug has made his appearance again.

The west end of the city, which seems to be his favorite haunt, was again the scene of his incendiarism, but fortunately its timely discovery permitted the flames to be extinguished before much damage was done

About ten o'clock last night Cris Kemmer and Samuel Shook, who live in the west part of the city, were on their way home When passing Wayne and Baxter street's

THEY DISCOVERED FLAMES

creeping up alongside Gottfried's barn There was no one about and, hastening over to the burning building, they secured buckets and extinguished the fire with water from a well near by

The flames had not been started more than a few seconds, but in a minute more they would have gained so much headway that the building, and possibly several adjoining, would have been consumed

The fire was the work of an incendiary, the same one, it is thought, that has been doing the work in that and other parts of the city.

DIED FROM PARALYSIS

On the Day that Marked Their Wedding Anniversary

Mrs Julia Patton, wife of Hugh Patton, died at her home, No 913 South Main street, at 5 30 o'clock this morning, from paralysis, at the age of thirty eight years

Mrs Patton has been an invalid for the past two years, and has been confined to her bed for the past four months She was married to Mr Patton eighteen years ago to-day She leaves beside a husband, five children, the eldest of the latter being sixteen years of age, and the youngest one year and one month old

The funeral services will be held from St Rose's Catholic church at 9 o'clock Friday morning

AN INVESTIGATION

Being Made in the Fourteenth Regiment

Adjutant C S Anderson, of the third battalion, Lieut George McMurray, of Company G and Capt J P McCaddon of Company F, all of the Fourteenth regiment arrived in the city from Marion, over the C & E this morning for the purpose of investigating the charges against some of the member of the Fourteenth regiment, who are charged with having been implicated in the raid at Sobers' restaurant last Friday evening, an account of which was published in THE TIMES DEMOCRAT on Saturday

The officers learned what they could concerning the matter here, and left on C & E train No 5, this afternoon for Rochester Ind where it is reported another raid was made on the restaurants by the same crowd of soldiers

ABOUT PEOPLE

Who They Are, Where They Have Been and Are Going

Bev. Biggs was in Kenton yesterday

Lon Cunningham is viewing the Fair

George D Rider is here from New York City

Dr D L Arter and wife are home from the Fair

Dr F G. Steuber and family are home from Chicago

Mrs Lon Bower and son Sid are home from the Fair

Miss Helen Whistler has returned from a visit at the Fair

Frank Hull, of the Wayne Hotel, at Detroit, is the guest of his mother for a few days.

Mrs McCambridge, of St Marys and Mrs Adolph Boose left this afternoon for the fair

Mesdames Wm McComb jr M S Dalzell and daughter, Miss Emma, left today for the Fair.

Miss Jesse Murphy and brother Dave left this morning for Chicago, to visit friends and see the fair.

Mr and Mrs Joseph Askins left for the World's Fair last night accompanied by their neice, Miss Anna Curtis

Mr and Mrs. Chapple, of Muncie Ind., were the guests of Dr and Mrs T R Perwilleger to-day on their way to Detroit

Miss Florence Hebble, of Osborn, O who has been visiting Miss Laura Lang and other friends in this city, has returned home.

AFTER KERWIN

Johnnie Lavack Anxious to Meet Him

The prospects for a glove contest between Jack Kerwin and Johnnie Lavack, are very flattering After being knocked out by Lima in the Bayliff Blake contest the Columbus people want to put Lavack up against Kerwin, and it is probable they will meet within the next few weeks Kerwin is just as anxious to meet Lavack and as they are evenly matched, a contest between them would be highly interesting

ANOTHER BLOWER

The *Logan* today says

Jim King, of this city, would like to hear from Dan Bayliff, Ed Blake or any one else of his weight in regard to a finish fight Mr King belongs in the middle weight division He would prefer to make the match at 158 pounds, but will concede a few pounds if necessary

COURT HOUSE NEWS

NEW CASES

John Van Stein vs Mina Van Stein, divorce.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Simon P Herr and Tilbe Herrman, Robert Burnett and Carrie Wolf, and Con Steinbaugh and Anna Vanderhost

Ill Only a Week,

Edwin Morgan, of No 165 Circular street, died at nine o'clock last night from heart trouble, after a week's illness The deceased was forty seven years of age and leaves a wife

He was a foreman at the Solar Refinery and a very prominent citizen in that part of the city

The Modern Beauty

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty If her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gentle and pleasant liquid laxative Syrup of Figs

Chicago Excursion

On September 23rd, the Chicago and Erie Railway will sell tickets to Chicago and return at rate of one fare for the round trip Tickets good going on all regular trains of September 23rd, with return limit of ten days

F C McCoy, Agent

Notice, K. of P

Work in the Knight Rank to night All members are requested to be present

GEO E KEFLER C C

O P RAMSEYER K R S

Special Sale of Wraps

Everything in Fall Wraps at half-price at Marsh & Helm's 88 3t

ROUND ABOUT.

The Judges of the circuit court of the state met in Columbus yesterday and fixed the dates for holding court in the various districts In this the third, court will convene on April 3d and November 13th

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An ingenious adaptation of bicycle mechanism to the operation of a dynamo by foot power has been recently perfected by an American machine company It is suitable for school purposes, for electro plating on a small scale and other uses where but little power is called for and that little at irregular intervals The dynamo is similar in construction to the larger machines It is cast upon an iron pedestal, with an arm extending for the support of the saddle and hubs in which the main bearing runs It has short direct poles, a short magnetic circuit and one field coil The machine has a regulation bicycle saddle, with an adjustable saddle post allowing a boy or man to satisfactorily work the pedals The latter are rubber covered and revolve on ball bearings

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The pupils of the high schools will present to the Board of Education this evening a petition asking that the one session plan adopted at the spring term of school be re adopted for the ensuing year The plan is said to have worked so satisfactory last year that the teachers and several members of the board have already expressed themselves in favor of the adoption of the one session plan

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The latest report bulletin does not speak very encouragingly of the condition in this part of the state It says

Local showers during the early portion of the week occurred generally over the section and caused a slight improvement in the condition of the pasturage and placed the ground in better shape for seeding in some counties The last half the week the weather was very warm and dry, and the drouth was again intensified over the greater portion of the section The corn is mostly cut and shocked, except over the extreme northeastern counties where the late corn is not yet ripe enough to cut the yield is generally below the average Seeding is nearly completed over the northeastern portion the early sown wheat coming up and making a fair appearance over the remainder of the section no great amount of seeding or fitting the soil has been done, owing to the dry ground Most of the farmers are waiting for more rain before seeding and in the meantime are fitting an unusual amount of corn land for wheat The yield of potatoes continues poor, with quality inferior The grapes and peaches are yielding well plums and quinces fairly apples poorly Harvesting of cereals is about completed Buckwheat turnips and cabbage will be a short crop of poor quality Clover seed giving a fair yield Stock water is low, and corn fodder is being fed generally to the stock

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The Bellefontaine people are up in arms against their mayor They have local option over there but it don't work worth a cent, and every month thousands of kegs of beer and other like beverages are sold Now the people want local option sure enough, and want the Mayor to give it to them The Mayor has decided to hold a special election to decide whether the people want the law enforced or not

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Brakeman William Kennedy of the C & E is a jolly fellow as everybody is aware who is acquainted with him But even jolly, good natured people some time have funny experiences

A few days ago Billy was deadheading from Marion to Huntington on a passenger train The train was loaded with eastern people on their way to the World's Fair Billy entered a car and sat down in a seat with an old gentleman from New York state Kennedy wore his working clothes and these did not compare favorably with the broadcloth of the New Yorker who began looking at him in a very suspicious manner The old fellow became very nervous, glanced sideways at Bill and kept him under his eye at all times Finally the eastern man changed his pocket book to the pocket farthest from Bill Every time Kennedy made a move of any kind the old man jumped Finally he went to the train brakeman Col Brown and said excitedly "Say, brakeman I wish you would get me another seat I want to move because I don't like the looks of that fellow in my seat I am afraid to sit there with him

Brown hustled another seat for the old man who settled down in it with a grip of relief and a tight hold on his pocket book

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Electric launches may supersede gondolas on the canals of Venice as one result of the Columbian Exposition One of the Chicago launches has already been sent to Venice by a company which is said to include several members of the Royal Italian Commission The company owning the boats at the Exposition says that the Italian company has an option on thirty of the fifty launches now in use at the World's Fair These steam launches of a convenient size now run regularly on the Grand Canal in Venice and are well patronized as the fare is small and the speed great compared with the gondolas These are objected to and the larger boats cannot traverse the crooked smaller canals with their low and frequent bridges It is expected that the electric launches will find favor owing, to their small size lowness and noiseless operation without smoke

Panic Sale

Forty thousand dollar stock of fine tailor made clothing must be closed out in ten days, at No 60 public square, Lima, O This stock is from a large wholesale concern of Cincinnati O, which on account of the stringency of the money market were compelled to assign for the benefit of the creditors This great slaughter sale is under the management of the famous Chicago Auction & Commission Co, whose reputation for honesty and square dealing is above reproach An iron clad guarantee goes with every purchase, if desired Every article mentioned in this document warranted as represented or money refunded This mammoth stock consists of men's, boys' and children's suits, overcoats hats, and a fine line of furnishing goods which will be offered for less than half their value as the stock must positively be closed out in ten days, by order of the court A few sample prices Men's all wool suits worth $11, only $3 74, men's fine cassimere suits worth $15 50 only $5 75 men's fine dress suits, worth $18 50 only $7 98 men's fine corkscrew suits, worth $2., only $9 98 men's fine stylish pants worth $4 only $1 75, men's fine wool pants worth $3 only 98c boys wool suits, worth $5 50 only $2 21 children's suits, worth $2 25 only 85c, men's hats (all styles) worth $3 00, only 98c, men's silk embroidered suspenders, worth 75c, only 19c Remember there are 10 000 different styles and qualities in fine cheviots, clay worsteds of foreign fabrics in sacks, frocks and Prince Alberts, too numerous to mention, at proportionately low prices All goods marked in plain figures, strictly one price and no deviation 5 000 men's, boys and children's overcoats satin lined, all shades qualities colors and not by styles, from $1 and upwards The building is now closed to arrange this great panic sale, which begins Saturday September 23rd at 9 45 a m Positively no one allowed in the building and no goods sold until Saturday September 23rd at 9 45 a m Merchants will find it to their interest to attend this great sacrifice sale as the goods will be sold at less than manufacturer's cost Do not fail to attend this great bargain sale, as such a chance only comes once in a lifetime Don't miss it Don't forget it! This great Panic Sale will positively close in ten days Look for the big red sign, "Panic Sale, at No 60 north east corner Public Square one door north of W L Porter & Co's grocery Lima O H G Edwards of Chicago conductor of the sale

Glover & Winters

Don't fail to see our display this week, at 113 and 115 East High street A nice line of millinery in general, Trimmed work a specialty Open evenings 88 3t

WAS GONE

Sensational Story Reaches the Police Last Night

At 11 20 o'clock last night, a telephone message to Grosjean's summoned the ambulance to the corner of McKibben and Jackson streets Several policemen accompanied the wagon According to the telephone message, they expected to find a dead man, but when they arrived no one, either dead or alive was in sight The went up north Jeffers street and found Ted Sullivan and a man named Toomy Sullivan had a bad cut over one of his eyes which he claimed to have received from a blow with a brick He and Toomy claim that they were going home when three men drove up in a wagon and commenced throwing bricks at them

Toomy said they found a man lying in the gutter apparently dead, so they telephoned for the ambulance The police were called to that part of the city earlier in the evening to quiet a crowd and it is supposed that the same crowd originated the trouble later No arrests were made

BLIND

Motormen Cannot See Persons Waiting for Cars

About eight o'clock this morning a lady and child were standing near the street railway tracks, at Main and High streets, awaiting a north bound car Car came along, but the motorman failed to see the lady and had reached the Metz block before several persons along the streets who were attempting to attract his attention, succeeded in doing so Chief Stockton, rather than see the woman walk up the middle of the street asked the motorman to back up This he refused to do stating he would be behind schedule and the woman was compelled to walk up to the car

If the penalty for backing up a car is the loss of their job the penalty for running by persons who desire to board cars should be the same It is next to an impossibility to stop a car in less a stand as taken in the middle of the track The majority of the trolley boys can be found sitting down inside the car oftener than they can be outside and unless a person hustles or several squalls ahead he is either likely to be passed entirely or be compelled to walk half a block or so to overtake it

Some kind of legislation is needed not only for the safety but the accommodation of the public as well

SLUGGED HIM

Ed Willower Discovers a Burglar at Work

About eleven o'clock last night Ed Willower heard noise in the kitchen which is of his home on East High street Going outside he found a man sneaking about the building He asked him what he wanted, and the fellow replied that it was none of his business and struck him on the forehead with some weapon he had in his hand He secured a stone during the tussle that followed and let the fellow have it with all his force after which the latter beat a retreat Police man Wingate but could not find the man He gave a good description of the fellow however and he may yet be captured

FIVE CARS

Knocked From the Track by a C & E Engine

Shortly after 8 o'clock this morning a small wreck occurred in the C & E yard causing a little delay of freights but was nothing very serious

The night switching crew were doing some switching in the east end of the yards and shoved a couple of cars onto the north track east of St Johns avenue crossing They had started to back up the track when the engine ran into the cars on the north track The cars had not been shoved to far enough to clear and five of them were knocked off the rails Cars were not damaged and the track torn up but very little The switchmen and car inspectors were called out and had the tracks cleared before eight o'clock

AMONG THE RAILROADS

BOYCOTTING THE C

There is a boycott being waged by the Pennsylvania and the B & O against the Clover Leaf that has fairly taken the latters breath away Some time ago the two lines gave notice to the Clover Leaf that there was some irregularity in rates from Pittsburg to St Louis and that it was requested several weeks ago without notice both lines refused to prorate with the Clover Leaf in Pittsburg traffic As the latter did a large local and coal business the blow was a hard one It is all the harder since there are no other lines to which the Clover Leaf can go for relief

The boycott is a protective measure both to the Pennsylvania and B & O The former company has a direct line into St Louis outside of handling over the Vandalia The B & O has a round about one over the Ohio and Miss sippi out of Cincinnati As the Clover Leaf was diverting a large traffic over its line both companies got the short haul instead of the long haul In order to still further discourage shippers from using the boycotted line the two strong companies are charging local rates from Pittsburg to the points where the respective lines cross the Clover Leaf The latter is at the mercy of its strong competitors who are doing their utmost to thwart the weaker road

BECOMING FRUIT

The Big Four affairs between employer and employe is assuming a very serious aspect The committees are firm, but President Ingalls is firmer and it looks as though a strike would result If the men submit to the cut a passenger engineer will receive $1 75 as on the month conductors $2 80 and brakemen and firemen about $2 Freight men prior to September 1, made on an average the following Engineers $100 a month firemen $55 conductors, $100, and brakemen, $70 They will be reduced as follows Engineers $ 50, firemen and brakemen, $2 50, conductors $1

SPLASHING

There is a squabble in progress between eastern and western roads over transfer charges through Chicago The practice heretofore has been that the road securing the business should pay the transfer charges, now, the western roads object to this plan being followed any longer They demand that on tickets sold to point in their territory where the price of tickets is less than $2 50, fifty cents be added

C H & D DIVIDEND

The dividend books of the C, H & D road closed yesterday preparatory to declaring the regular semi annual dividend The past six months have not been bad ones for the system The passenger department is said has been, the paragon of perfection for a long, time while the freight business has not been as light as on many local lines never in the history of the road have things moved so harmoniously and smooth as now

C H & D APPOINTMENT

D G Edwards, general passenger agent of the C H & D yesterday appointed as Chief Rate Clerk of the system George Smith of Chicago, who was at one time assistant general passenger agent of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific He will assume the duties of his new position at once

NOTES

Engineer Hard is running the north C H & D local

Engineer Geisinger, of the C H & D is on a passenger run

L F & W switch engine 22 is out, after undergoing repairs

Passenger Engineer Cook, of the C H & D is removing his family to Toledo

Engine No 40 of the L L & W, is ready for the road again, after undergoing repairs

Passenger Engineer Hoyt, of the C H & D, is at the Fair, and Engineer Casker is on his run

Passenger Engineer Charley Kline, of the C H & D, is in Michigan, taking his annual hunt.

To-day was pay day on the eastern division of the C & E The employes at Hunting received their salaries yesterday

The American Express Company has put messengers on the extension of the Missouri Kansas and Texas and established agency in Texas

Large flocks of Northern Pacific stock are changing hands, and a sharp contest for the control of the road is looked, at the annual meeting, October 19th.

A number of western lines have given orders to agents to do no more freight credit business All freight charges must be paid before the delivery of freight

Passenger Conductor Paul Sprow of the L E & W, resumed his duties on the Sandusky accommodation this morning after spending a couple of weeks at the World's Fair

The C & E people have ordered two new Baldwin compound engines and ten moguls from the Baldwin Locomotive Works The compound engines will be used for passenger service and the moguls for freight

The many truthful testimonials in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla prove that HOOD'S CURES even when all others fail Try it now

Sociable

Christ church rectory will be opened with a sociable given by the Young Ladies Guild, next Tuesday evening, Sept 26th The members of the church and their friends are invited to be present

Special Bargains

in Table Linens this week Some splendid bargains MARSH & HELM 88 3t

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We place on sale an Extra Good Bargain in

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10 YARDS FOR 53c,

Regular price 10c a yard

THOMSON & RICHARDS,

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Do You Know It? Our Entire Fall Stock Now In.

GUS KALB,

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WE COULDN'T, positively, COULD NOT attempt to show a better line of garments for Fall wear than we have bought for the present season That's saying a great deal for us Everything that's fit, and ought to be in a first-class selection of Clothing, be it for a man, a boy, or a little boy, has been included in our assortment We've searched the market for the best, we know how and what class of materials ought to be made, and we've a wonderful idea of the capacity of the average purse---the three items that help to make a Clothing establishment famous and successful. You should know our wears and prices. You should, in justice to yourself, make it a point to visit our store

GUS KALB,

...28 AND 30 UNION BLOCK.

☞ Have you seen those $2.85 Pants displayed in our show window?

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WHY NOT TRADE WITH US?

A Saving on Every Purchase of 15 to 50 per cent Guaranteed

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Good grade of Union Cassimere single and double breasted Sacks or Cutaway Coat $4 00 to $5 00

Good grade of Cassimere Suits dark and medium, dark colors, 20 styles $6 50 to $8 00

Good grade of all wool Suits a great many styles to select from, $10 00

Many nobby styles of single and double breasted Sack suits black and dark colors $4 00

Business men's fine Suits in black, dark gray and navy blue, $11 00 to $16 50

MEN'S OVERCOATS

We show a most beautiful assortment of Overcoats in all the latest materials cut in all the latest styles Particular attention deserves our line of $10 Ulsters and Box Overcoats These were made to sell at $12 and $15, but on account of the tight money market, we bought them much below the actual value and will sell them accordingly An immense line of Ulsters at lowest possible prices

BOYS' 3 PIECE LONG PANTS SUITS

Good Union Cassimere Suits $3 50 to $5 00
Good half wool Suits $5 to $7
Good all wool Suits $7 50 to $10
} All heavy weight suits in latest styles cut single or double breasted

BOYS' 2 PIECE KNEE PANTS SUITS

Closing out sale of 300 odds and ends in Boys' 2 piece Suits, $1 88 These are worth from $4 to $7—but comprise all of our odds and ends in this line, a great bargain

Boys good Knee Pants Suits 81 00

Union Cassimere Suits, $2 to $3
Cassimere Suits, $4 to $5.
} Good values and guaranteed to wear

The "Bessemere" double knee and double seat Suits (for boys who are hard on clothes) $5 This the best Suit in America for the money

Boys' Knee Pants from 18c to $2

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Try us on Shoes and you will always trade with us

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